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AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS.
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Under instructions from S. N. Gazder, Esq., the Liquidator of Messrs. Treacher and Co., Ld., (in liquidation), Messrs. CRAWFORD and Co., will sell by Public Auction, on WEDNESDAY, the 8th day of November, 1916, at 4 p.m. (S.T.), at the Retail Shop of the said Company (in liquidation), situate at the Esplanade Road, Fort, the goodwill and stock-in-trade as a going concern:—

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Under instructions from B. N. Lang, Esq., the Official Assignee Bombay and the Assignee of the estate and effects of Husansha Abdulnabi, a firm adjudged Insolvents, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co., will sell by public auction on Wednesday, the 1st day of November 1916, at 5 p.m., (S.T.), the right, title and interest of the said insolvents, in the following valuable landed property on premises.

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Bombay, 20th October, 1916.

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AUCTION SALE OF 34 BALES BLACK STRIPED DRILLS OF THE WESTERN INDIA MILLS.

On SATURDAY, the 21st instant, at 4 o'clock (S. T.), in the afternoon, Messrs. MEHTA and Co., Auctioneers, will sell by Public Auction at their Rooms at Medows Street, Fort, by order of Nissim I. Bekhor, Esq., and on account and at the risk of the defaulter Mr. Goculdas Haridas.

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Bombay, 20th October, 1916.

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Under instructions from the mortgagee-in-possession, Messrs. K. A. READYMONEY and Co. will, on SATURDAY, the 28th instant, sell by Public Auction at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), on the ground floor of Watson's Annexe, Apollo Pier Road, in the rooms occupied by Mr. E. W. Gautray on his account and risks.

One full-sized billiard table with all accessories complete, card tables, counters and chairs, specially made to order, electric lights and fans with fittings, etc.

The above will be sold either in one lot or in separate lots to suit the purchasers.

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K. A. READYMONEY & Co.,
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Bombay, 20th October, 1916.

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NO. 22, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF UNCLAIMED AND INTESTATE PROPERTIES.

Under instructions from the Commissioner of Police, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will TO-MORROW SATURDAY, the 21st October, 1916, at 1 p.m. (S.T.), sharp, sell by Public Auction, at the Police Commissioner's Office, opposite Crawford Market, a quantity of unclaimed and unserviceable properties, arms and ammunition, etc.

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

AUCTION SALE OF ANILINE SALTS.

Under instructions from Messrs. J. Khambata and Co., Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will TO-MORROW SATURDAY, the 21st instant, at 3-30 p.m. (S.T.), sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, No. 22, Apollo Street, Fort, on account and risk of Messrs. Ambalal Sarabhai, the following:—

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Under instructions from the mortgagee-in-possession, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on MONDAY, the 30th instant, sell by Public Auction, at 2 p.m. (S. T.), at "Navsari Building," in the shop occupied by Premier Art Saloon at Hornby Road, Fort.

A large and very valuable rich collection of large full size oil paintings by eminent painters suitable for decorating palaces and large drawing rooms and halls, such as "Bajudere" The Prey of the Pirate, "In the Harem Salome," "Sultans Daughters," "Egyptian Dance," "Lady on the Rock," "Nero L. Valdero," "Woodland Scene," General Gordon (very rare painting), Beolin Nude Photographs, a very valuable collection of Arabian Nights, pictures suitable for library, autotypes, a rich collection of artistic rare water colours, steel-engraving, photogravaurs, platino carbons, sets of Natural History pictures, large medium and small Italian Carbons, Indian Views, flower studies, Tuck's Prints, a rich collection of picture post cards, rich Italian cane furniture, artistic rich velvet lined furniture, show cases, cupboards, partitions, one iron safe by Godrej, etc., etc.

The above will be sold either in one lot or in separate lots.

Catalogues will be published and furniture on view 4 days before sale.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, 20th October, 1916.

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THE WESTERN INDIA SPINNING AND MANUFACTURING COMPANY LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that the THIRTY-SIXTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 20th October, 1916, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

1ST—To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and Annual Audited Accounts and Balance Sheet made up to 30th day of June, 1916.
2ND—To declare a Dividend.
3RD—To elect two Directors in place of those who retire by rotation but are eligible for re-election.
4TH—To appoint Auditors for the year 1916-1917 and to fix their remuneration.
5TH—To transact any other business which the Chairman may bring forward at the meeting.

By order of the Board of Directors,
THACKERSEY MOOLJEE, SONS & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers and Agents.
Bombay, 2nd October, 1916.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th October to 31st October, 1916, both days inclusive. 5557

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "PENANG MARU" having arrived on the 19th instant from JAPAN via Hongkong, Singapore, Malacca, and Colombo, the CONSIGNEES of her CARGO are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to this Office for counter-signature without delay. No survey will be held on cargo damaged or in doubtful condition unless a written application for such survey is received by the undersigned within seven days from the date of discharge. Capt. J. C. Richards of Messrs. Eriscon and Richards, Company's Surveyors, will be attending Docks every morning to survey damages. Cargo removed from the Landing Shed or warehoused is not entitled to the survey. No Survey will be held on Bag Cargo in single gunnies. The Bills for CLAIMS are to be sent into this Office within one month from the date of Steamer's arrival otherwise they will not be entertained.

T. KAWAGUCHI,
Manager,
Nippon Yusen Kaisha.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S. S. "MALAY MARU" having arrrived in Bombay on the 19th instant from Japan via Hongkong, Singapore, Penang and Colombo, the Consignees of her Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to this Office for counter-signature without delay. No survey will be held on cargo damaged or in doubtful condition, unless a written application for such survey is received by the undersigned within seven days after the cargo has been discharged. Captain J. C. Richards, of Messrs. Eriscon and Richards, Company's appointed surveyors, will be attending Docks every morning to survey damages. Cargo removed from the Landing Shed or warehoused is not entitled to the survey. No cargo in single gunny will be surveyed. The bills for claims are to be sent to this office within one month from the date of steamer's arrival, otherwise, they will not be entertained.

M. UCHIYAMA,
Agent,
The Osaka Shosen Kaisha, Bombay.
Bombay, 19th October, 1916.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

(Incorporated in England.)

TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF SECOND-HAND MATERIAL AND UNSERVICEABLE STORES, VIZ., RAIL PIECES, CAST AND WROUGHT IRON AND STEEL SCRAP, TYRES AND WHEELS SCRAP, BRASS BORINGS, LEAD SCRAP, EXCAVATORS, CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS, PUMPING PLANT, &c., &c.

THE AGENT is prepared to receive TENDERS at his office, Victoria Terminus, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. (S.T.) on TUESDAY, 24th October, 1916, for the purchase of above which can be seen on application to the Company's Wharf Superintendent, Wadi Bunder, Assistant Storekeeper, Jhansi, and at this Depot.

TENDERS.—These must be made out in the Company's authorised Forms, which can be had on application to the Undersigned at his office on payment of Rs. 2 per copy.

TERMS.—A sum equivalent to 10 per cent. of value of the material tendered for (subject to a maximum of Rs. 1,000 and a minimum of Rs. 200 only) must accompany each Tender, along with a cash deposit form, which is supplied gratis on application as a guarantee of good faith in due fulfilment of Contract, failure in which shall entail the forfeiture of the deposit without the Railway having to prove any loss by the transaction. Only cash or currency notes of the Bombay Circle if over Rs. 100 (on which no interest will be allowed) or Government Promissory Notes will be received as deposits, and if the latter they must be endorsed "Pay Great Indian Peninsula Railway Company or Order." Interest on Government Promissory Notes lodged with the Company as Tender deposits will not be realized by the Company unless such interest is payable at Bombay.

NOTE.—The Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any Tender.

Applicants are requested not to tender for more material than they are able to pay for and remove within one month from the date of acceptance of Tender.

G. R. WEBB,
General Storekeeper.
General Storekeeper's Office,
Parel, 27th September, 1916. 5409

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE K. R. CAMA MEMORIAL FUND

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the subscribers to the K. R. CAMA MEMORIAL FUND will be held on TUESDAY, the 31st October, 1916, at the K. R. Cama Oriental Institute, Sukhadwalla Building, Hornby Road, Fort, at 5-45 p.m. (Standard Time), to appoint Trustees of the Institute and to approve of the draft Trust Deed which will be placed before the meeting.

STANLEY REED,
KAZI KABIRUDDIN,
R. P. MASANI,
Joint Hon. Secretaries.
Bombay, 19th October, 1916. 5658

NOTICE.

WE beg to advise the Public that we have opened the Beer Department, at 10, Hummum Street, Fort, to sell "ASAHI and SAPPORO" Beer.

MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, LIMITED.
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NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

ADVERTISERS are requested to note that the management cannot guarantee to insert advertisements in the "Bombay Chronicle" unless the copies reach this office before 6-0 p.m., (S.T.)

MANAGING DIRECTOR,
"Bombay Chronicle."
Bombay, 30th August, 1916.

NOTICE OF MEETING.

THE BOMBAY COTTON MERCHANTS AND MUCCADUMS ASSOCIATION, LTD

CIRCULAR.

AT a meeting of the members of the Managing Committee held on SATURDAY, 14th October, 1916, in the Rooms of the Association at Colaba, when Mr. K. S. Nicholson of Messrs. Breul and Co. was presiding, it was resolved that from FRIDAY, 27th October, 1916, that is (Kartak Sud 1, Samvat 1973), all the members should sell their loose cotton on the condition that the empty bags be returned by the buyer.

By order of the Committee,
I. I. MASHRUWALA,
5654 Honorary Secretary.

THE HINDOOSTAN SPINNING AND WEAVING MILLS COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the FORTY-THIRD ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held on FRIDAY, the 20th October, 1916, at 4 p.m. (S. T.), at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12, Hummum Street, Fort, for the purpose of transacting the following business:—

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By order of the Board of Directors,
THACKERSEY MOOLJEE & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.
Bombay, 2nd October, 1916.

N.B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th October to the 31st October, 1916, both days inclusive. 5558

LEGAL NOTICES

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 748 of 1916 O. S.

THE BANK OF BARODA, LTD. ...Plaintiffs
v/s
MAMOOBHAI, widow of BHIMJI BHANJI and others .....Defendants.

PURSUANT to the Consent Decree made in the above suit and bearing date the 15th day of July, 1916, the following immoveable property will be sold by public auction by the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at his Office in the Court House on Friday the 24th day of November, 1916, at the hour of half past three o'clock in the afternoon (Standard Time).

PARTICULARS.

All the right title and interest of the plaintiffs and the defendants abovenamed in all those two pieces or parcels of Foras land or ground with the bungalow outhouses and stables standing thereon situate at Tardeo outside the Fort of Bombay in the Registration sub-district of Bombay now containing by admeasurement 2,166 and 4,275 square yards or thereabouts respectively but shown in the Collector's records as admeasuring together 6422 8/9 square yards or thereabouts assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 326, 328, 328 and 528 and New Nos. 13846 and 14040, Old Survey Nos. 117, 109 and 110 and New Survey No. 7021 assessed by the Collector of Municipal assessment under Ward D No. 3734 (1) and (2) 3735, 3736, 3737 (1, 2 and 3) 3738 (1) and Street Nos. 1, 2, 3, 3A 3B, 107 109, 109 A, 113-117 and bounded on the East and North by the property of Vithoba Ramjee and Ramchander Maneckji on the West by the public road and on the South by the property of Wasudeo Ramchander and all which said premises are now in the occupation of the 1st defendant Mamoobai and her tenants.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. Little and Co., attorneys for the plaintiffs abovenamed at the Old Secretariat, Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay, or to Messrs. Ardeshir Hormusji Dinshaw and Co., Fort, Bombay. Attorneys for the defendants abovenamed at Hornby Road Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 7th day of October, 1916.
H. H. WADIA,
Commissioner.
Messrs. Little & Co.,
Plaintiffs' Attorneys. 5564

LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that EDULJI BYRAMJI UMRIGAR, executor of the Will of BYRAMJI EDULJI UMRIGAR, PIROZESHAH COOVERJI UMRIGAR, PESTONJI CURSETJI UMRIGAR and DARASHAW CURSETJI UMRIGAR, of Bombay Parsi inhabitants have contracted to sell the undermentioned property to our clients. All persons having any claim against the said property either by way of inheritance, gift, sale, trust, exchange, mortgage, charge, possession, lien, lease, easement or otherwise are hereby required to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office at No. 61, Medows Street, Fort, within 14 days from the date hereof, otherwise the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claim and the same if any will be considered as waived.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the Pension and Tax tenure together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate lying and being at Abdul Rehman Street, outside the Fort, in the registration sub-district of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 604, New No. 2825, Old Survey No. 2914 and New Survey No. 1359 and assessed by the Collector of Municipal taxes under C Ward No. 96, Street No. 506-508-510 and containing by admeasurement 265 square yards or thereabouts and bounded as follows that is to say on or towards the East by Abdul Rehman Street on or towards the West by sweepers passage on or towards the North by the property of Ahmedbhoy Habibbhoy and on or towards the South by the property of Jamsedji Nowroji and which premises are in the occupation of the Vendors and their tenants.

Dated this 18th day of October, 1916.
AMIN & DESAI,
5643 Purchasers' Attorneys.

AMUSEMENTS

THE EXCELSIOR

TO-NIGHT! TO-NIGHT
and every evening at 9-30 p.m.
Maurice E. Bandman presents the
BANDMAN OPERA CO.
TO-NIGHT, Friday 20th,
"THE ONLY GIRL."

Saturday 21st	"THE CINEMA STAR"
Monday 23rd	"THE MAN WHO STAYED AT HOME"
Tuesday 24th	"BETTY"
Wednesday 25th	"CHARLIE'S AUNT"

Original Version as played by W. S. PENLEY.
Prices, Rs. 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.

SUNDAY, Oct. 22nd, at 6 p.m.
SPECIAL MATINEE OF
"THE CINEMA STAR."
Prices Rs. 3, 2, 1 and 8 annas,
PLAN NOW OPEN AT ROSE & Co.

ROYAL OPERA HOUSE BOMBAY

HOME OF SELECT CINEMA.
Will present on the screen
TO-MORROW & SUNDAY AT 6-45 ONLY
On the days following during the week at 6-45 & 10
The 5 Act Gold Rooster Play:
"THE GIRL WITH THE GREEN EYES."
"It is a real study of human nature"
The story shows how a woman's uncontrollable jealousy causes her to forfeit her husband's love and nearly brings about a tragedy, though she was only led to suspect her husband by another man who had an object of his own.
Also showing:
"A REVOLUTION IN THE BACHELOR'S CLUB."
A splendid comic
and the latest
PATHE GAZETTE.
THE BEST THEATRE ORCHESTRA IN THE EAST.
Prices: Re. 1/8, Re. 1, Ans. 8 and Ans. 4.
Box seats, Rs. 2.

NEW ALEXANDRA

Near Crawford Market.
JUST THE LAST DAY TO SEE
THE SENSATION OF THE SEASON
THE
CIRCUS OF DEATH
in five reels.
Absolutely the last word in sensationalism with
The Gaumont Graphics, Nos. 568 & 569
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CHARLES CHAPLIN
in a roaring one-reel new comic.
SLIGHTLY ADVANCED RATES.
Rs. 1-8 to As. 3.
THRICE NIGHTLY, 7, 8-15, 10-30.
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TO-DAY
At 6 p.m. only.
A CALL TO ALL BRITISH SUBJECTS!
H. M. Government Tour of
"BRITAIN PREPARED"
AN
OFFICIAL WAR FILM.
10,000 Feet shown complete.

IF
YOU LOVED YOUR
HUSBAND
JEALOUSLY AND LEARNED FROM AN ACQUAINTANCE OF HIS THAT HE WAS KEEPING AN ESTABLISHMENT IN ANOTHER PART OF THE CITY—AND YOU WENT THERE TO SURPRISE HIM ONLY TO FIND THAT HE WAS CARING FOR HIS SISTER—AND YOU LOST HIS LOVE
BECAUSE OF YOUR JEALOUSY.
WHAT WOULD YOU DO?
WOULD YOU DO WHAT
THE GIRL WITH THE GREEN EYES
DID?
SEE THE DRASTIC MEASURES
SHE TOOK IN THE
PATHE GOLD ROOSTER PLAY
(5 ACTS)
AT
"ROYAL OPERA"
Saturday and Sunday at 6-45 only; on days following during the week at 6-45 and 10.

Royal Opera House
QUEEN OF BOMBAY.
HOUSE BUILT WITH THE DISTINCT AIM OF PROVIDING COMFORT AND COOLNESS.
Maurice E. Bandmann presents
Dr. WALFORD BODIE
AND HIS
ROYAL MAGNETS.
TO-NIGHT AT 6-30 & 9-45.
DR. BODIE.
The modern Miracle worker,
Assisted by the original Mlle.
LA BELLA ELECTRA,
in their weird demonstrations with the
DEADLY ELECTRIC CURRENT.
DR. BODIE,
A benefactor who has earned the blessings of many patients during his visit to Bombay and up-country.
At every show since commencement of his present season he has demonstrated his curing powers in full view of the audience at Royal Opera House.
All the members of the Company will appear in new songs.
Dr. Bodie will give a wonderful exhibition of ventriloquism in which he has a party of eleven dummies, all of which talk, sing and move about during the entertainment. This is known as
THE LAIRD'S HIGHLAND PARTY.
Rs. 5,000 CHALLENGE.
Dr. Bodie will pay the above sum to any one who can prove he does not work this great act entirely on his own and that each and every voice is distinctly his own.
Owing to Dr. Bodie's early departure and the fact that his books are full, he will not undertake new cases, so no further patients should go in the morning to consult the Doctor.
LOOK OUT!
By Special request
Dr. Bodie has consented to prolong his stay until Sunday and will give
MATINEES
to-morrow and Sunday at 4 p.m.
For these shows only, the Prices will be.

Rs. 2	Re. 1	and Annas 8
Whole of Ground floor	Whole of first floor	Whole of second floor.

POPULAR PRICES.
Rs. 3, Rs. 2, Re. 1, Gallery 8 annas.
PLAN AT ROSE & CO.'S
NOTE:—ALL CINEMA PASSES ARE SUSPENDED DURING THIS SEASON.
NO CINEMA TO-DAY.
To satisfy the regular week-end cinema visitors, performances will be given to-morrow and Sunday at 6-45.

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on 09 April, 2017

AMUSEMENTS

SATURDAY OCT. 21—9-30 P.M.

THE GREATEST SENSATION OF THE CENTURY

IS THE

FIRE-WALKING PERFORMANCE

NEAR CHOWPATI NEW BANDSTAND

IN AID OF

War Relief Fund.

Prof. Sayed Hussain, Atshi (Burmee), will again send anybody from the audience without injury to person or garments

THROUGH A TRENCH FILLED WITH LIVE COALS

AND IN

FULL BLAZE.

Come and witness his marvellous power over Fire and enjoy the

THRILLING PASSAGE.

Prices :—Rs. 2, Re. 1, and As. 8

CHILDREN HALF PRICE.

Tickets can be had at Messrs. Soundy & Co., Church Gate Street, Fort, or at the Fire Exhibition.

Promoter :—Mr. Surrufally Mamoojee.

WEATHER REPORT

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Oct. 19.

The storm in the Arabian sea which appears to be of slight intensity has moved in a northerly direction and its centre is probably two hundred miles west southwest of Bombay. It has caused considerable increase of rainfall in the north peninsula. Rainfall has been nearly general in Chota Nagpur, Berar, Konkan, Bombay Deccan, Hyderabad, Malabar, Madras Deccan, the north Madras coast; local in Lower Burma, Orissa, Central India west in the Central Provinces and Mysore. A few falls also occurred in south-east Madras.

The chief amounts are:—Cuttack one inch, Hoshangabad and Nagpur one and a half, Pendra and Pachmarhi one, Ahmednagar three quarters, Trivandrum two, Cochin one and a half, Cuddapah and Kurnool one, Nellore one and a half.

Forecast:—Extension of rainfall into Gujarat and Central India.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hours to 8 a.m. of 19th Oct. 1916.	Total since June 1st 1916.	June 1st to Oct. 19th 1915.	June 1st to Oct. 19th 1914.
Colaba [Observatory]	0.01	82.73	76.18	81.29
Fort [St. George's Hospital]	....	....	....	....
Esplanade (Gok. Tej. Hospital]	....	....	....	....
Byculla [J. J. Hospital]	....	....	....	....

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA.

Bombay, 18th Oct. 1916.

Means of observations taken at 6 a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg Fahr.	29.684 Inch'
Temperature of Air	84.2 Deg.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	78.8 ,,
Dew Point	76.9 ,,
Relative humidity of Air	0.790 ,,
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky Cloudy—10)	8.8 ,,
Maximum temperature of Air	88.4 ,,
Minimum ....do.....do.	80.4 ,,
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	ENE,NE.
Movement of Wind from midnight to midnight	162 Miles.
Fall of Rain	0.00 Inch.
Total fall during month	2.29 ,,
Do. do. year	82.83 ,,
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 19th	0.01 ,,

SUN, MOON AND TIDES IN BOMBAY.

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hour stated in Bombay Mean Time depth of water is at Prince's Dock :—

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean time. h.	m.	Depth on Still. ft.	in.	LOW WATER. Day of Month.	Bombay Mean time. h.	m.	Depth on Still. ft.	in.
	Oct.					Oct.				
Thur.	19	m	4 29	24	10	19	m 11	58	2	3
			4 21a	22	9		10	11a	20	0
Fri.	20	m	5 40	24	7	20	1	12a	20	8
			6 0a	22	9					
Sat.	21	m	6 56	24	9	21	m 0	1	20	4
			7 35a	23	5		1	57a	19	10
Sun.	22	m	7 55	25	2	22	m 1	29	20	0
			8 34a	24	6		2	30a	18	11
Mon.	23	m	8 39	25	8	23	m 2	18	19	6
			9 16a	25	9		3	0a	17	11
Tues.	24	m	9 17	26	3	24	m 3	2	18	11
			9 55a	26	10		3	29a	16	11
Wed.	25	m	9 52	26	8	25	m 3	44	15	6
			10 24a	27	10		4	0a	16	0

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week :—

Oct.	Sunrise.	Sunset.
,, 19 (Thursday)	,, 6h. 34m.	,, 6h. 13m.
,, 20 (Friday)	,, 6h. 34m.	,, 6h. 13m.
,, 21 (Saturday)	,, 6h. 35m.	,, 6h. 12m.
,, 22 (Sunday)	,, 6h. 35m.	,, 6h. 11m.
,, 23 (Monday)	,, 6h. 35m.	,, 6h. 11m
,, 24 (Tuesday)	,, 6h. 35m.	,, 6h. 10m
,, 25 (Wednesday)	,, 6h. 36m.	,, 6h. 10m.

PHASES OF THE MOON :—

First Quarter	1916 Oct.	4,	4h. 30m., 5m. p.m.
Full Moon	,, ,,	11,	6h. 31m., 1m. p.m.
Last Quarter	,, ,,	19,	6h. 38m., 7m. a.m.
New Moon	,, ,,	27,	2h. 7m., 0m. a.m.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Thursday, the 19th October 1916, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are clear. Night temperature in in excess in the extreme north.

The United Provinces.—Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is in excess at Cawnpore and Allahabad.

Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are clear in upper Sind and lightly clouded elsewhere. Humidity is in defect in lower Sind and normal or in excess over the rest of the division. Day temperature is in excess in lower Sind but in defect in east Rajputana.

Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Surat reports 0.20 in. of rain and Indore 0.30 in. Skies are moderately clouded. Humidity is normal or in excess. Night temperature is generally in excess; day temperature is also above normal at Dwarka and Veraval.

The Central Provinces.—Rainfall has been local; Hoshangabad has had 1.25 in., Akola 0.59 in., Amraoti 0.22 in. and Nagpur 1.74 in. Skies are lightly or moderately clouded. The air is damper than usual. Day temperature is in defect in Berar; night temperature is in excess over the whole division.

The Konkan.—Rainfall has been nearly general; Ratnagiri has had 0.19 in., Mormugao 0.46 in. and Karwar 0.24 in. Skies are moderately clouded.

The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Rainfall has been general; Malegaon has had 0.69 in., Ahmednagar 0.87 in., Poona 0.11 in., Sholapur 0.29 in., Bijapur 0.50 in., Belgaum 0.22 in., Aurangabad 0.13 in., Nizamabad 0.25 in. and Hyderabad 0.16 in. Skies are moderately or heavily clouded. The air is damper than usual. Day temperature is generally in defect; night temperature is in excess in the northern half of the division.

General Remarks.—The storm which lay off Karwar yesterday appears to have moved in a north-westerly direction out into the sea. It may possibly recurve during the day. There has been an increase in the area of precipitation. Rainfall has been nearly general in Malabar, the Konkan, the Bombay and the Madras Deccan, Hyderabad and on the north Madras coast and local in Mysore, the Central Provinces and Central India West, while a few showers have occurred in Gujarat and south-east Madras. Conditions continue unsettled in the south of the Bay of Bengal.

Fairly general rain is likely on the west coast of the Peninsula and in the Bombay and the Madras Deccan, local rain in south-east Madras, Hyderabad and on the north Madras coast and some showers in the central parts of the country. A few showers may also occur in Gujarat.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 8 a.m. on THURSDAY, the 19th of October 1916.

STATIONS.	Temp in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours	Temp in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours	Rainfall. Total 1st June to date.	Rainfall. Departure 1st June to date.
						4 04
PERSIAN GULF—						0
Bushire	..	..	..	..	..	..
Do. (18th Oct.)	92.7	64.6	82	..	0	—0.
Jask	..	89.0	72.4	34	..	0.29	0.
Do. (th Oct.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Muskat	..	91.7	81.9	68	..	0.58	..
Do. (th Oct.)	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
PUNJAB—							
Multan	..	93.3	66.1	57	..	4.77	
Rawalpindi	..	88.2	59.6	48	..	38.71	0.
Lahore	..	94.3	62.7	69	..	23.58	16. 0
Hissar	..	95.1	61.4	40	..	19.45	8.35
Ambala	..	88.2	61.3	82	..	38.21	1..
Delhi	..	90.9	65.6	62	..	27.76	4.61
							4.11
UNITED PROVINCES—							
Agra	..	92.4	68 0	63	..	29.35	
Mainpuri	..	88.2	65.1	74	..	32.09	4.51
Jhansi	..	90.4	72.2	80	..	47.77	10.45
Cawnpore	..	89.6	70.5	74	..	49.20	2 65
Allahabad	..	91.6	73.4	77	..	61.15	15.86
SIND AND RAJPUTANA							
Jacobabad	..	95.1	61.2	49	..	3.17	0.91
Karachi	..	86.3	73.4	41	..	21.67	15.54
Ajmer	..	87.6	61.0	73	..	27.29	8.33
Jaipur	..	90.9	65.2	50	..	23.28	1.47
Kotah	..	92.0	68.6	69	..	43.84	10.72
Mount Abu	..	77.2	54.4	44	..	33.30	24.78
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—							
Bhuj	..	95.4	65.7	47	..	13.29	—0.08
Dwarka	..	95.4	?	72	..	11.10	—2.59
Veraval	..	95.4	78.1	70	..	23.56	6.49
Rajkot	..	93.1	72.7	66	..	25.04	—0.66
Bhavnagar Para	..	93.2	80.0	77	..	19.88	—0.44
Surat	..	96.8	74.9	78	0.20	52.83	12.92
Ahmedabad	..	97.4	76.9	60	..	24.33	—4.54
Deesa	..	97.2	68.6	54	..	25.52	2.01
Neemuch	..	87.4	59.6	79	..	35.78	11.54
Indore	..	86.9	68.6	93	0.30	40.34	9.48
CENTRAL PROVINCES—							
Jubbulpore	..	86.8	73.8	83	..	52.49	0.94
Saugor	..	86.6	66	90	0.06	40.67	—2.61
Hoshangabad	..	88.5	70.4	88	1.25	55.64	8.37
Khandwa	..	89.6	75.7	84	..	34.91	6.06
Akola	..	86.7	72.5	81	0.59	38.89	9.35
Amraoti	..	89.3	72.8	78	0.22	41.97	11.55
Nagpur	..	90.4	73.8	83	1.74	53.73	9.21
Chanda	..	89.1	73.0	83	..	54.22	8.48
Raipur	..	87.7	73.4	84	..	36.78	—8.57
KONKAN—							
Bombay	..	88.4	78.3	87	0.61	82.73	12.77
Ratnagiri	..	92.7	74.1	91	0.19	134.17	38.20
Marmugao	..	85.5	73.4	93	0.46	116.08	27.79
Karwar	..	84.6	73.4	95	0.24	129.50	14.06
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERAB.. —							
Malegaon	..	85.6	69.4	99	0.69	21.43	1.08
Ahmednagar	..	84.1	69.0	90	0.87	28.18	9.08
Poona	..	87.8	70.7	90	0.11	21.71	—1.15
Sholapur	..	88.0	70.8	88	0.29	32.04	6.65
Bijapur	..	88.7	71.6	88	0.50	20.7..	3.93
Belgaum	..	81.1	66.2	98	0.22	35.62	—6.14
Aurangabad	..	86.1	70.4	86	0.13	41.76	10.61
Nizamabad(Indur).	..	87.6	71.9	100	0.25	32.49	—4.82
Hyderabad	..	81.0	70..	93	0.46	36.99	12.80
MALABAR AND CEYLON							
Mangalore	..	82 3	72.8	89	0.12	106.3	—6.49
Calicut	..	79.8	73.1	98	0.67	93.45	—1.72
Cochin	..	78.7	72.7	90	1.27	93.26	12.43
Colombo	..	84.9	78.9	77	0.01	31.82	3.76
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—							
Masulipatam	..	85.2	75.1	98	0.75	46.87	19.05
Bellary	..	86.3	71.2	92	0.19	16.38	3.81
Cuddapah	..	88.6	74.2	93	1.08	34.31	11.42
Madras	..	86.5	76.2	91	0.83	22.99	1.55
Bangalore	..	80.3	65.8	90	0.12	33.40	9.95
Coimbatore	..	89.4	70.4	84	..	17.95	3.41
Trichinopoly	..	85.1	74.2	84	..	24.15	7.97
Negapatam	..	84.0	74.3	95	..	21.18	6.6

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

TO-DAY.

Hindu: 9th of Aswin Vad, 1672.
Mahomedan: 19th of Jezhaj 1334.
Parsi: 10th of Ardibest, 1286.
Sunrise: 6h. 24m.; Sunset: 6h. 13m.
Phase of the Moon: New Moon, 27th Oct.

LOCAL ENGAGEMENTS

Excelsior Theatre: Bandman Opera Company present, "The Only Girl," 9-30 p.m.

University Examination Results: Preliminary Scientific Examination, Intermediate M. B B. S. Examination and L. M. & S Examination, 12-30 p.m.

Mails for Ceylon the Straits Settlements China Japan and Australia per steamer Malta will be closed at the General Post Office at 7-30 p.m. Parcels mail for China closes at 6-30 p.m. the same day.

Dails for the Mesopotamia Expeditionary Force Henjam Muscat Fao Bushire Koweit Charbar Jask Linga Bahrain; Dubai; Bandarbas; Mohomerah and Busra will be closed at the Bombay General Post Office at 7-30 p.m.

SATURDAY, October 21.

Auction Sale of Messrs. Treacher and Company's British Hotel Lane property, 4-30 p.m.

Excelsior Theatre: Bandman Opera Company present "The Cinema Star," 9-30 p.m.

SUNDAY, Octobber 22.

Excelsior Theatre Special performances of "Britain Prepared" at 3 p.m. and 9-30 p.m. and Bandman Opera Co., Special Matinee of "The Cinema Star" at 6 p.m. sharp.

DAILY.

Excelsior Theatre: G. M. Government War films "Britain Prepared" at 6 and Bandman Opera Co. at 9-30.

Royal Opera House: Cinema, 6-45 p.m. and 10-30 p.m.

New Alexandra Cinema, Crawford Market 7, 8-45 and 10-30 p.m.

Olympia Cinema: Sandhurst Road, 6-30, 8-45 and 10 p.m.

West End Cinema: 6-45, 8-30 and 10 p.m.

Domestic Occurrences.

IN MEMORIAM.

To my father who departed from this world on 20th October, 1914, at Mahableshwar.

Thy life's work done, its hard battle fought
Now rest thyself, dearest father, at thy last resting place
Where nightingales chant their songs in God's glory
Where flowers bloom, and fade, where travellers sadly
Come and go after paying tributes
To the tombs of their departed hearts,
There, my thoughts fly to linger
Round thy tomb where thou art laid.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

Squadron Orders by Lieut.-Colonel Sir Stanley Reed, Kt., A.D.C., Commanding.

Oct. 21.

Orderly N. C. Officers for the week ending 21st October, 1916:—

Sergeant C. H. Hewlett and Lance-Corpl. F. C. Spencer.

Riding School.—Riding School daily except Thursday for Recruits and members in possession of Remounts, 7-15 a.m.

Signalling Class.—Heliograph instruction under Major H. G. Wallis (I.A.), on the following days of the week:—

Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Rendezvous, Rajibai Tower, 7-15 a.m.

The Route March advertised for Saturday the 21st instant, is cancelled.

Issue of Arms.—Members are requested to draw their Arms from Headquarters any day between 10 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Lecture.—There will be a lecture on Reconnaissance on Wednesday, 1st November, time will be notified later.

(Sd.) F. C. ANNESLEY, 2nd-Lieut.,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Light Horse.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER ARTILLERY.

Corps Orders by the Hon. Lieut.-Colonel J. S. Wardlaw-Milne, Commanding.

Oct. 19.

No. 231—Parades.—Friday, 7 a.m. Signalling Class at Churchgate Station.

No. 335—Strength.—No. 1764 Gunner A. G. Foox having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "D" Sub-Section, No. 2 Company, with effect from 3-8-16.

No. 1784, Gunner, A. M. Coldicott, having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "C" Sub-Section, No. 1 Company, with effect from 14-10-16.

No. 3 Company, Kirkee.

Battery Drill on Wednesday at 6 p.m.

No. 1 Section on Tuesdays and Fridays at 7 a.m.

No. 2 Section on Saturdays at 8 a.m.

(Sd.) P. H. RETALLACK, Capt.,
Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Artillery.

NOTICES.

A general meeting of the Corps will be held at Headquarters on Thursday, 19th instant, at 6-45 p.m.

There will be an officers meeting after the general meeting on the 19th instant.

There will be a Spoon Shoot at Ghat Kopar on the 22nd instant commencing at 7-30 a.m. Ranges 800, 900 and 1,000 yards. Trains leave Colaba at 5-30 a.m. and Victoria Terminus at 6-10 a.m.

There will be a meeting of the Entertainment Committee at 6-45 p.m. on Friday, 20th instant, at Headquarters.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Regimental Orders by the Hon'ble Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, C.I.E., Commanding.

Oct. 20.

365—Battalion Duties.—Orderly Sergeants will be furnished by "E" Company during week ending 21st instant. Next for duty "F" Company.

366—Company Field Training—

Detail.—Sunday, October 22nd, "H" Company.

Sunday, October 29th, "A," "B," "E" Companies.

Companies will parade at Bori Bunder Station, at 6 a.m. on the above dates, and will return to Bombay before 5 p.m. Havresack rations and water bottles to be carried. Dress.—At option of Officers, Commanding Companies.

367—Musketry.—The Range at Ghat Kopar is allotted for Class Firing as follows:—

October 10th to 20th, "C" Company.
October 21st to 24th, "J" Company.
October 25th, Machine Gunners.

368—Miniature Range.—From October 1st, the Miniature Range is allotted in accordance with schedule of training issued to Officers, Commanding Companies.

369—Signalling.—Signalling Class will parade at 6-15 p.m. at Headquarters on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

370—Parades.—"B" Company.

To-day, Friday, 20th, Company parade, 7 a.m. at Headquarters.

"C" Company.—Recruits, Friday, at Headquarters, 6-15 p.m.

"D" Company.—Parade at Telegraph Quarters, at 7 a.m. on Tuesdays and 6-15 p.m. on Thursdays until further orders. Dress.—Drill order.

"F" Company.—The Company will parade every Monday and Thursday, at 6-15 p.m. at Headquarters. Dress.—Drill order with helmets.

"G" Company.—Machine Gun Section.—The Machine Gun Section will parade, at Headquarters, at 7-15 a.m. to-day, Friday, 20th instant.

"J" Company.—Recruits Drills.—All those who have joined the Company since 1st April 1916, are requested to parade as follows:—Friday, 20th instant, 7-15 a.m. at Headquarters. Dress.—Optional.

(Sd.) H. L. McNEILL, Lieut.,
Actg. Adjutant, Bombay Volunteer Rifles.

POONA VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

Corps Orders by Lieut-Colonel G. K. Walker, C.I.E., Commanding Poona Volunteer Rifles.

POONA, Oct. 19.

978—Drill and Instruction.—Parades for the week ending 21st October, 1916:—

At Headquarters—

Buglers, Friday and Saturday, at 5-30 p.m.

At Satara—

Machine Gun parade, Saturday, at 5 p.m.

979—Musketry.—The Rifle Range will be open for Class Firing at 7-30 a.m. daily except Thursdays and Sundays until further orders. Members wishing to fire should send in their names to the Headquarter Office two days beforehand.

980—Increase.—The undermentioned having been enrolled is taken on the strength of the Corps and posted to "L" Company:—

No. 4473, Cadet Jall D. Hotelwalla.

(Sd.) A. R. KEARSEY, 2nd-Lieut.,
Adjutant, Poona Volunteer Rifles.

ENGLISH MAILS.

The P. and O. Company's s.s. Malwa, with the outward Mails of the 6th instant, is expected to arrive in Bombay at 3 p.m. on Monday next.

HOMEWARD MAILS.

The P. and O. Company's s.s. Karmalla, with the homeward Mails of the 12th instant, arrived at Aden at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, the 17th instant.

GRANT COLLEGE MEDICAL SOCIETY.

A meeting of the Society will be held at the Grant College Library, this evening, at 4-30 p.m. (S. T.), when Dr. J. K. Daji will read a paper on "The element of faith in the healing art."

ST. JOHN AMBULANCE BRIGADE.

The annual re-examination of the members of the Hindu No. 2 Division, Dadar, will take place on Sunday next, at 9 a.m. (S. T.), at the Divisional Headquarters, when all members are requested to be present with their bandages.

SOCIAL SERVICE LEAGUE FIRST AID CLASS

The examination of the First-Aid Class, under the auspices of the Social Service League, conducted by Dr. S. N. Navalkar, at Bhai Jivanji Lane, Sharada-Mandir, Thakurdwar, will be held to-morrow, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.). The class will be examined by Dr. S. R. Bhagwat.

SOCIETY OF PROFESSIONAL ACCOUNTANTS.

The following office-bearers for the ensuing year have been elected:—

Mr. W. Turner Green, Chartered Accountant, President; Mr. K. S. Aiyar, Incorporated Accountant, as Vice-President; Mr. S. B. Billimoria, Corporate Accountant, Secretary of the Society and Mr. Mahadeo R. Tambe, B. A., Actuary and Incorporated Accountant, a Member of the Council of the Society.

PREVENTION OF CRUELTY TO ANIMALS

The Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals prosecuted 480 cases involving cruelty to 662 animals and birds during September. In 325 cases the accused were fined for cruelty and in 47 other cases for overloading. In 29 cases the accused were warned and discharged. Seventy-nine unfit horses were detected by the Society's agents during their night patrol. 821 animals and birds were treated in the Sakarbai Dinshaw Petit Hospital, including 426 new admissions. Of these, 333 were discharged cured, 62 left uncured and 20 died, leaving 386 still under treatment at the end of the month. A hundred more were treated as out-patients at the hospital and 253 were attended to at the dispensaries in the Honorary Magistrates' Courts.

PASSENGERS BY THE MAIL.

The following passengers arrived in Bombay yesterday by the P. and O. s.s. Nellore, which brought also the English mails:—

Mr. T. E. Mutter, Mrs. Odom and infant, Mr. Odom, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander, 2 infants, child and a nurse, Mr. D. Cathro, Mr. T. Steen, Mr. D. Hourie, Mrs. T. Wright, Miss R. E. Wright, Mrs. Meoredy, Mr. P. Swann, Mr. G. S. Rowbotham, Mr. T. S. Currieil, Mrs. Hugh Johns, Mr. Abdul Rahim, Rev. F. R. Craddock, Miss F. C. Farrington, Mrs. Sandemah, Mrs. Lindsay, Mrs. Bond, Mrs. Forbes-Major, Miss Forbes-Major, Mr. F. S. Cooker, Mr. J. B. Forster, Mrs. Eceland and 2 children, Miss M. Hamilton, Dr. C. D. Morgan, Dr. G. D. Hill, Dr. J. B. Shorten, Dr. R. G. Ellwell, Dr. A. H. Price, Mr. S. Samoilys, Mrs. Byers, Mr. H. Gordan, Mr. R. Humphreys, Mrs. Saunders and infant, Mr. H. Bull, Mr. W. H. Lindsay, Mr. J. F. Sale, Mr. J. Ballinghall, Mrs. A. Letchmere, Mrs. F. Willis, Mr. B. E. Purvis, Mrs. F. Tod, Miss Benn, Mrs. Fird, Mr. O. Parker, Mr. R. G. Barnard, Mr. W. F. Stratton, Mr. A. J. Pears, Miss Pears, Mrs. R. St. Gillispie, Mr. A. G. Gray, Mr. J. Pappadakes, Mr. G. C. Blair, Mrs. Lewis, 2nd-Lt. F. A. Postance, Mr. R. Stuart King, Mr. W. Reid, Mrs. A. L. Lemerle, Mr. E. Pratt Mrs. Reinhold, Babu Abbeyanker, and Ebram Easson Hakomed.

PLAGUE IN THE PRESIDENCY.

The following statement of plague deaths reported to have occurred in Districts and Native States in the Bombay Presidency for the week ending 14th October 1916 is published for general information:—

Bombay City 7, Kaira District 1, Surat District, Surat Town and Port 15, Other places 1, Thana District, Thana Port 1, 233 (for 2 weeks), East Khandesh District 12, Satara District 104, Ahmednagar District 477, Nasik District 81, Poona District, Poona Town 385, Other places 235, Sholapur District, Sholapur Town 19, Other Places 151, Kolaba District, Thal Port 4, Other places 1, Ratnagiri District, Ratnagiri Port 1, Other places 2, Belgaum District 110, Dharwar District, Hubli Town 79, Other places 239, Bijapur District 284, Kanara District 2, Karachi District, Karachi Town and Port 1, Kolhapur and Southern Maratha Country States 251, Kathiawar Agency, Mangrol Port 9, Other places 39, Savnur State 48, Akolkote State 2, Rewa Kantha Agency 13, Total 2,799.

PORT OFFICE NOTIFICATION.

The Port Officer, Bombay notifies:—"Disturbance—probably storm of slight intensity about two hundred miles West-South-West Bombay—is moving roughly northwards." The Port Officer, informs us that the Quilon Black buoy has been replaced.

BOMBAY GOVERNMENT GAZETTE.

(*Thursday, Oct.* 19.)

Major H. Harrison, Political Agent, Savantvadi, is granted privilege leave for three months, combined with furlough for nine months on medical certificate, from the 13th October, 1916, or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

The Governor in Council is pleased to create, a temporary appointment of an Additional Judge of the Court of Small Causes at Karachi for a period of six months, and to appoint Mr. Chandiram Kotumal to hold it, pending further orders.

Mr. Tirithdas Choithram, LL.B., to do duty as Assistant Judge in Sind, pending further orders.

Mr. D. J. Potnis, Mamlatdar of the Kumta Taluka and Magistrate of the Second Class in the district of Kanara, is appointed, to be a Magistrate of the First Class in that district.

Mr. Hajimia Abdul Rahim valad Abdul Rasul to be a Special Magistrate of the Third Class within the Municipal limits of the town of Rander in the Surat District for the trial of Municipal cases only.

The resignation of Mr. Jahangir Behramji Marzban of the office of Delegate of the Parsi Chief Matrimonial Court at Bombay is accepted.

Captain P. S. Carbould, Magistrate of the First Class in the district of Poona, to try in a summary way all the offences mentioned or referred to in section 260 of the same Code and occurring within the limits of the Cantonment of Kirkee.

Mr. E. H. Ingle, Superintendent of Police, has been allowed by the Secretary of State for India an extension for two months of the furlough on medical certificate.

Mr. G. Monteath, I.C.S., has been allowed by his Majesty's Secretary of State for India an extension of furlough for six months.

Mr. S. E. Reuben to act as Superintendent of Land Records, Northern Division, during the absence on leave of Khan Bahadur Pestonji Rustomji Mehta, M.R.A.C., or pending further orders.

Mr. N. H. Hey, I.C.S., on return from leave to be Assistant Collector in Sind.

Mr. S. A. Leao, Superintendent in the office of the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor, to be on special duty under the orders of the Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, Bombay, for a period not exceeding three months with effect from 1st January, 1917, and thereafter to appoint him to be a Deputy Collector, Third Grade, and to do duty as Assistant Superintendent of Stamps and Stationery, Bombay, vice Mr. Balkrishna Vasudev Pandurang, retiring on 31st March, 1917.

Mr. E. M. Hodgson, Divisional Forest Officer, Belgaum, to be the Forest Settlement Officer for certain villages in the Belgaum district as Khanapur Forest Mahal and Belgaum Forest Mahal.

The Reverend C. E. C. de Coetlogon, Senior Chaplain, Bombay, Ecclesiastical Establishment, has been granted by his Majesty's Secretary of State for India leave on medical certificate for two months, and nine days, in continuation of his leave.

The services of the Reverend E. G. Brownrigg, Assistant Chaplain of St. Mary's Poona, with charge of Ghorpuri, are placed at the disposal of the Government of India in the Army Department.

The services of the Reverend R. E. Lee, Junior Chaplain, Church of Scotland, Bombay Ecclesiastical Establishment, are placed at the disposal of the Army Department.

The Reverend R. MacOmish, M.A., B.D., of Wilson College, Bombay, is appointed to be a temporary Chaplain on the Indian Ecclesiastical Establishment Church of Scotland, with effect from the date on which he assumed charge of his duties. His services are placed at the disposal of the Government of Bombay.

The Reverend W. O'Conor is appointed Additional Chaplain at Karachi with effect from the 14ht October, 1916, or the date on which he may take over charge of his duties.

Mr. A. C. Miller, Assistant to the Director of Public Instruction, has been granted privilege leave for one month and twenty-nine days with effect from the 28th August, 1916.

Mr. S. M. Edwardes, C.V.O., C.S.I., I.C.S., Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, is granted privilege leave for three months in combination with furlough for nine months with effect from the 16th October, 1916 or the subsequent date on which he may avail himself of it.

Mr. P. W. Monie, I.C.S., to act as Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay.

Mr. G. A. Thomas, I.C.S., to act as Secretary to Government, General, Educational, Marine and Ecclesiastical Departments.

Mr. A. W. G. Chuckerbutty, I.C.S., has been permitted to retire from his Majesty's Covenanted Civil Service, on the Bombay establishment, with effect from the 5th September, 1916.

Mr. H. C. Fleming has been appointed to hold charge of the Salsette Development Office during the absence of Mr. G. H. Cowan, I.C.S., on leave.

Bombay, Baroda and Central India Railway Volunteer Rifles:—Surgeon-Lieutenant Robert Vickers Clayton to be Surgeon-Captain Dated the 1st September 1916.

Temporary Lieutenant J. P. Canteenvalla, I.M.S., is appointed to act as Civil Surgeon, Satara, from the 25th August 1916, in addition to his military duties, pending further orders.

Major L. T. R. Hutchinson, M.D., B.C., (Cantab), D.P.H., I.M.S., to act as Presidency Surgeon, Second District, with attached duties, in addition to his own duties, vice Lieutenant-Colonel M.P., Khareghat, I.M.S., (retired), pending further orders.

Captain A. K. MacEwan, 25th Brigade, R.F.A., to be temporary Aide-de-Camp, with effect from the forenoon of the 18th July, 1916.

Mr. N. B. Baxter, Executive Engineer, is posted to the Eastern Nara District, Mr. E. P. Watson Assoc. M.I.C.E., Acting Executive Engineer, reverting to the rank of Assistant Engineer.

On return from leave Mr. F. J. Von Bock, Assistant Engineer, is appointed to act as ExecutiveEngineer Sholapur District, until further orders, Mr. Ambarnath Bhattacharya, L.C.E., Acting Executive Engineer, reverting to the rank of Assistant Engineer.

Mr. Alil Akbar, M. Inst. C.E., Superintending Engineer, First Class, is permitted to retire from his Majesty's Service with effect from the 8th December, 1916.

AGRICULTURAL OUTLOOK.

There was slight rain during the week throughout the Presidency. Standing crops were slightly damaged by locusts in four talukas of Sukkur, by insects in three talukas of Thar and Parkar and by excessive rain in parts of Sholapur. Elsewhere crops were generally in good condition. Harvesting of kharif crop continues. Picking of cotton is in progress in Thar and Parkar, Khandesh and Nasik Districts. Rabi sowing continues. The supply of fodder is adequate. Agricultural stock is sufficient and cattle are in good condition. The supply of water for drinking is sufficient. The supply of water for irrigation is adequate except in parts of Panch Mahals and Kaira. Prices of food-grains have slightly fallen in Sind, risen in the Karnatak and were generally steady elsewhere.

The line between Dharmapur and Irulapatti on the Southern India Railway was breached at 9-45 hours on the 17th instant. Trains cannot pass through. Transhipment has been arranged.

COMMERCIAL.

LATEST CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

LIVERPOOL COTTON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

Liverpool, Oct. 18th.

			Bales.
Total Day's	Sales at Liverpool	.. ..	10,000
,, ,,	Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	.. ..	1,500
,, ,,	Sales of East Indian	.. ..	60
,, ,,	Imports	.. ..	15,000
Mid. Americans	.. .. ..	..	10.06
Egyptian F. G. F.	.. .. ..	..	Unfinished
New York 11 a.m. (As known in closing time.)	.. ..	Jan.	18.33
		March	18.68
New Orleans 10 a.m.	.. ..	Jan	18.23
		March	18.43

CLOSING PRICES.

Months	Liverpool, Oct. 18th. To-day's closing price
October	1 .. +21
Oct.-Nov.	.. .41
Nov.-Dec.	.. +21
Dec.-Jan.	.. +21
Jan.-Feb.	.. +21
Feb.-March	.. +21
March-April	.. .22
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Friday, October 20, 1916.

THE ATTACKS ON THE GOVERNMENT OF INDIA.

The Mail which arrived in Bombay yesterday brought a fresh batch of papers containing strong criticisms and denunciations of the Government of India in regard to the various scandals which have arisen in connection with the Mesopotamian Expedition and other military matters. Feeling has grown so strong that it is stated that it is the intention of several members of Parliament to raise a debate on the various shortcomings of the Government of India and the Prime Minister will be asked "to give a day." It has suddenly been discovered to be an anomalous state of affairs that there should be no opportunities for the discussion of Indian questions in Parliament and we find complaint being made in unexpected quarters, where interest in India has hitherto been of the faintest, that since the war broke out there has been no discussion practically of Indian affairs, a state of things, which it is said is "not fair to India and certainly to the Indian Civil Service!" It is not likely that there will be any discussion of these matters in Parliament at present. So far, at any rate, as everything with Mesopotamia is concerned it would be hardly decent for the Prime Minister "to give a day," while the whole matter of the management of the Mesopotamian campaign is practically *sub judice* before the Commission of Enquiry. But there are certain matters which are only indirectly concerned with the questions into which the Commission is enquiring which we trust will be brought before Parliament.

Chief among these are the charges made against the authorities in India of deliberately attempting to suppress happenings of very grave importance. Our readers will remember that we have complained of this on many occasions and we pointed out at one time that the censorship which is established for the purpose of preventing the publication of news which military or political considerations require should be kept confidential was being used in order to conceal from the public grave scandals. This charge is taken up by "Truth," which declares that the Censorship was "in fact used not to conceal information from the enemy but to hide facts from the nation." That, as our contemporary says, is a very grave charge and requires to be thoroughly investigated. It is a grave charge, but we fear it might have been made in vain in this country so far as the Indian public is concerned. The public in India have been treated again and again by the authorities with contemptuous indifference in regard to these matters. Even when the Secretary of State has been compelled by the pressure of public opinion in England and Parliamentary action to make explanatory statements to the House of Commons the Government of India have not considered it necessary to convey simultaneously the same information to the public in this country, who really have the first right to it. As an example of the extent to which suppression has been carried in India on occasion, the case of the Sind Troop Train scandal may be again stated.

The fatal journey began, it is believed, on June 6 and ended on June 9. On June 10 the news leaked into the "Sind Gazette," and, although this paper gave the number of deaths as twelve only, the fact that there had been any deaths was suppressed by the Censor from the version telegraphed to Calcutta. On June 13 the "Sind Gazette" reached Calcutta, and its story was published in full in the "Statesman" of that date. The same evening it was cabled to London by all the London newspaper correspondents in Calcutta. Every cable message was suppressed, and there is some reason to suspect that letters addressed to London newspapers by the mail of June 16 were also tampered with. It was not until June 15—nine days after the first deaths and five days after the story had appeared in the "Sind Gazette"—that the Viceroy cabled the news home to the Secretary of State. Five days later, on June 20, the first and only official or semi-official account of the tragedy vouchsafed to India was issued from Simla. It contained such statements as that "there was a good supply of ice," that "there was no overcrowding," etc., which have since been officially contradicted. No further official reference was made to the tragedy until June 28—nearly three weeks after its occurrence—when the Government of India, prodded, no doubt, from Whitehall, announced their intention of instituting a searching enquiry.

At the end of July the result of this enquiry and the action taken thereon was stated very fully to the House of Commons by Mr. Chamberlain. But not until a week afterwards was it announced in India that the three officers concerned had been removed from their posts and even then we had to wait for the Mail to bring us the English papers before we learned the facts which Mr. Chamberlain had stated to Parliament. The fact of the matter is that certain authorities in this country have a supreme contempt for public opinion. They are now finding to their cost that the immunity which they enjoy in this country does not extend outside its limits. It is not altogether a matter for regret that events should have brought those responsible for shortcomings in this country in regard to the war under the lash of public criticism in England. It may be easier in face of these criticisms to obtain a hearing in the future when scandals arise in regard to matters of more purely Indian concern. At any rate, perhaps certain journals which hitherto have tumbled over one another in their anxiety to extol the perfection of the administration in India and declared unstinted admiration for the Government of India, will not be so difficult to persuade, in the light of their present wholesale denunciations, that the system stands badly in need of reform, especially in the direction of making authority more responsible to the public.

THE STATE AND INDUSTRY.

The war has thrown into the melting-pot many ideals, wise or otherwise, many problems in the educational, social, economic and political fields. And it is obvious that their final and most satisfactory solution must depend on how far, after the war, every nation is free to live its life in its own way and how far the people will be free to work out their own salvation. The solution of the question of fiscal autonomy for India will, for instance, depend on the extent to which the right of the people of the country to manage their own affairs in their own national interests is to be recognised by the authorised British spokesmen who have repeatedly declared that the vindication of the principle of nationality is one of the chief things for which the war is being waged. Once, therefore, the claim of India to fiscal autonomy is conceded, it will be for the Government of India to consider and decide how far the present system of Free Trade may be modified in the interests of the economic and industrial welfare and development of the country. In any attempt to arrive at a right solution in this matter it will not be unhelpful to take note of the currents of thoughts agitating the minds of publicists in England on the subject.

To a dispassionate and impartial observer of affairs the first thing that clearly emerges out of all discussion is that, in spite, of the Paris Conference resolutions, there is a great deal of bluff about the Protectionist assertions that the war has disillusioned the nation regarding Free Trade. The fact is, as has been well pointed out, that the matter is one in which Englishmen have hitherto been guided by argument; and most arguments in favour of a tariff on imports are no better and no worse than they used to be. Besides the dominant fact has to be faced that whatever the disadvantages of Free Trade may have been, the economic position which Great Britain has attained under it has been vindicated by the crucial test of the war itself to be one of extraordinary strength. Still it would be extremely unwise to disguise the fact that the war has created a new situation and with it new problems and the Paris Conference resolutions are merely a proof that whatever the policy the British Government may find it expedient to adopt after the war, Free Trade will have to be purged of its *laisser-faire* element. For if there is one thing that has emerged more clearly than ever, it is that any State which does not wish to go down in the natural economic rivalry of nations must recognise sooner or later,—sooner rather than later,—the lesson which Germany's example has amply shown, that an incalculable deal can be done to promote economic success by the State actively interesting itself in the cognate questions of education, industrial organisation, transport and the like. Unless, therefore, as is pointed out in a recent article in the "New Statesman," the British State undertakes these tasks whole-heartedly, and "thereby ensures for its nationals the fullest opportunity of success in the wide markets of the world, the lazy alternative of its creating a closed market for British products in its dependencies must sooner or later, for all the manifold drawbacks, be attempted."

The same journal proceeds to consider the new economic questions which the war has raised and these, according to the writer, are three in number and to all of them a Protectionist answer is possible, though it is doubted whether in any instance it is the best. The advisability of the State's interfering with the free course of trade, the writer proceeds, will have to be studied: (a) in order to safeguard the British isles against future interruption of vital supplies by submarines; (b) in order to prevent the British people from depending for "essentials" upon a single or very restricted source of foreign supply, which might become unavailable in time of war, as that of dyes did in 1914; (c) in order to develop imperial resources and attract population and wealth within the Empire, in cases where the supply of an important article rests on foreign sources which are sufficiently various for it to be fairly safe in the event of war, but where the Empire possesses exceptional natural facilities for producing it, and there is no prospect of those facilities being at all fully utilised without Government interference. The possible ways in which the State could interfere, without adopting a protectionist policy, are then suggested. And these would be: The exclusion of certain products of a given country or countries, or of all foreign countries; bounties on certain British (or Imperial) products; guaranteed minimum returns to the British (or Imperial) producer of certain articles; making the State sole wholesaler, with power to grant the British (or Imperial) producer, specially favourable terms, and in return for them to put special pressure on him in the direction of quality, of standardisation, and generally of efficiency and up-to-date methods; State or Municipal production. To meet particular problems already indicated special proposals are suggested such as the proposal for natural granaries, for enormous extensions in State paid research and for State-owned or State-subsidised shipping lines within the Empire. All these are not final or exhaustive but suggest a great variety of proposals and possibilities. What is essential is that they must be sorted out, and those of them that are practical must be carefully distinguished from those that are calculated to create mischief. And this is a task that has to be faced in this country as much as in Great Britain.

Notes of the Day

The Press Act.

We prefer to postpone any extended comment on the judgment of the Madras High Court in the case of the appeal by Mrs. Besant against the order of forfeiture of the security deposited for the "New India" press, until the full text is before us but we desire to draw attention at once to the grave terms in which the drastic character of the Act and the extent to which it limits the freedom of the press and hampers the conduct of honest newspapers is described by the Acting Chief Justice. This is the second time that a High Court has shown the Act, both in its powers and in the exercise of them by the Executive, to make it almost impossible for a journal conducted in an honest and independent spirit to perform its duty with any feeling of safety. But the acting Chief Justice of the Madras High Court uses even stronger and more frank terms in describing the character of the Act than Sir Lawrence Jenkins. "They (the terms of section 4)," he said, "vest the local Government with a discretion so large and unfettered that the keeping of printing presses and the publication of newspapers is *becoming an increasingly hazardous business* in this country . . . . . the vesting of such unlimited power in the Executive Government is undoubtedly a serious encroachment on the freedom which the press in India enjoyed before the passing of the Act." And as the Acting Chief Justice proceeded to point out, the Act was passed to deal with a certain situation existing in only one part of the country. Surely no one will attempt after this to defend its continuance on the statute book, at any rate in its present condition.

Mr. Chamberlain and the India Office.

"India" commenting on the appointment of Mr. Chamberlain as Chairman of the Man-Power-Distribution Board expresses surprise that the Secretary of State has so little to do in his own office that he can spare the time for this important work. It suggests that Mr. Chamberlain is not unduly disturbed at the prospect of leaving the conduct of Indian questions in other hands. The public are not aware that he displays any marked interest in the duties of his office, except as a dispenser of patronage. But why, asks our contemporary, should India continue to pay for the salary of a Secretary of State who does not give his whole time to her affairs? No one will dispute the importance of the work which the "man-power distribution board" is called upon to undertake; but it is not fair to India that her representative in Parliament should be appointed to overlook it.

Unfair Incident of Army Pensions.

Here is another case of the grossly unfair incidence of Army pension rules which we quote from "Truth":—

> Here is a specific case, which has been brought to my notice, of the colonel of an Indian cavalry regiment who was admitted into the field hospital at Amara on May 1 last suffering from colitis, brought on by exposure and bad water. He was a strong man, and on May 5 wrote to his wife to say he hoped to get back to duty at once. Next day he developed cholera, which he must have contracted in the hospital, and died on the 10th, yet his widow is only entitled to draw £135 a year instead of £180, and she loses the gratuity of £450. I think every one except the underlings in Mr. Forster's department will agree that the widow of this colonel is as much entitled to the highest pension as if her husband had died of wounds instead of cholera.

Subject of Constant Complaint.

A propos of this "Truth" 'asks that Mr. Forster should reconsider the question of widows' pensions when their husbands die from sickness wholly contracted on active service, for the Royal Warrant of December 1, 1914, as amended by Army Order No. 3 of 1916, is quite indefensible, and is being made the subject of constant complaint. As the matter now stands, a distinction is drawn between officers who are killed or die from wounds and those who die from sickness, the widows of the latter only getting the "intermediate" instead of the "highest" pension, and no gratuity. This strikes me, writes "Truth," as being an official distinction without a difference, for widows have to live whether their husbands die from sickness or wounds, and the actual cause of death, provided it was due to war service, has nothing to do with the pension they ought to get.

Rodin's Great Gift to France.

It is difficult to conceive of any gift by a great artist at once so complete and yet having about, it so fine a character of self-dedication as that which M. Rodin has made to France,—of his property, his completed work in sculpture and writing, and his still unexhausted creative powers. It was in April last that this illustrious French sculptor presented certain of his works to the French nation which were recently accepted by the Chamber of Deputies. And now M. Rodin has presented his entire collection of works of art, his house and studio at Meudon, his books, manuscripts, and copyrights, retaining only a life interest in his possessions. He has, however, not been content with this. For he has even surrendered himself, undertaking not to accept even a commission for making any piece of sculpture without first obtaining the consent of the council which is to administer his museum.

German War Loan Failure.

The mail papers show that the German Government used every means in its power to obtain subscriptions for the new war loan, which, as recent telegrams told us proved a failure. Most extraordinary appeals and advertisements were made. A very interesting note was struck by General von Blume who seems to be a sort of semi-official military critic, in the "Deutsche Tageszeitung." After elaborating the theme of the necessity of money to carry on the war he proceeded:

> I see myself compelled to make this warning by the reports of very trustworthy persons in various parts of the Empire, to the effect that the success of the War Loan is being systematically opposed by the catchword: "Whoever subscribes to the War Loan only lengthens the war." One might almost suspect that we have to deal with a systematic hostile agitation. The phrase is not unskilfully chosen. For the desire of a quick end to the war is treacherous. The lover of the Fatherland cherishes this desire, with the sole condition that the end must be victorious for us, and is not made to hesitate thereby in the firm resolve to stake all on a success which will secure a great future for us. The weak and evil-minded, however—and there are plenty such in the most valiant of nations,—can become traitors to their country by such a catchword phrase if it is not made clear to them that a swift but disadvantageous peace will rob them even of the money which they do not want to subscribe to the loan.

And General von Blume urged soldiers at the front to put things in this light to their relations and friends at home!

Story of a Zeppelin.

The London correspondent of the "Manchester Guardian" gives some rough authentic notes from an East Ender, who had a London view of two Zeppelins which visited London in mail week, and of the fall of the nearer Zeppelin,—the one that was burnt and wrecked somewhere in Essex. The correspondent gives the notes as he obtained them, without retouching:

> "Heard the noise of gunfire. Got up, looked out of a window. There it was going steadily along under the glare of many searchlights. A little distance away it began to drop bombs, as could be known by the loud roar and the upward splashes of red flame. It was a fine sight to see the aeroplanes.
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> "Meanwhile to our surprise the anti-aircraft guns continued firing heavily all the time. After a while the Zepp disappeared in a mist, was picked up again, and then again was lost.
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> "By this time the streets were crowded with people, but the crowd thinned out quickly as they streamed after the fire engines and policemen who were hurrying to the places where the houses were burning tramping and crunching over streets of broken glass smashed by the mere air concussion from the bombs. I was chatting with a special constable friend when a lad near by shouted to us. We looked, and saw far away something which seemed like the glowing red end of a cigarette. Almost immediately it burst into a flame, quivered a moment (during which time we could see black lines in the glare which the crowd thought were the Zeppelin's ribs), and then dropped straight down towards the earth, a big red bank, followed by a ball of fire. The people in the streets cheered madly, everybody shook hands with everybody else and talked freely and wildly. The horns and syrens on the river joined in the chorus of noises. Gramophones were pointed from the windows and blared out patriotic and cheerful airs, particularly the "Marseillaise" and "God Save the King."

The Health of the City.

Though the prevailing level of mortality is still high in the city, Bombay continues to experience the spell of a rather unusually advanced birth-rate, which was first noticed a fortnight ago. Last week the total number of births registered amounted to 530, or nine more than the number of deaths reported during the week. The death-rate stood at 27.66, as against 26.01 of the previous week. Plague registered thirteen attacks and seven deaths, being five attacks more, but one death less than in the week previous. Small-pox registered three attacks and three deaths, while cholera was completely absent. The mortality from the other principal diseases was as follows: phthisis, including tubercle of lung 37, other tubercular affections 6, respiratory diseases 164, malaria 13 and enteric 3. There were 28 still-births and 10 premature births during the week.

ENGLISH RACING.

RESULT OF THE CESAREWITCH.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Oct. 18.

The result of Cesarewitch is as follows:—

Sanctum	1
Corn Sheaf	2
Darcopal	3

Nineteen ran.
Won by two lengths, a short head.
Betting at start was 9 to 4 against Sanctum, 9 to 1 against Corn Sheaf, 40 to 1 against Darcopal.

HONGKONG'S WAR GIFT TO IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
HONGKONG, Oct. 18.

In the Legislative Council the Governor stated that the colony might increase the proposed gift of three million dollars to the Imperial Government for war purposes if adequate satisfactory means of financing; the increase could be found.

SOLDIERS FORBIDDEN TO ACCEPT GIFTS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Oct. 19.

An Army Order forbids the acceptance of gifts from private individual for services rendered in performance of duty.

INDIGO RESEARCH COMMITTEE.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
LONDON, Oct. 17.

Replying to Sir William Byles, Mr. Chamberlain announced that a small expert Committee including an eminent chemist and representatives of planters and dyer users which he had appointed in England, was examining and criticising the investigations of the Indigo Research branch of the Indian Agricultural Department.

OUTBREAK OF DYSENTERY IN BERLIN

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)
AMSTERDAM, Oct. 19.

The police in Berlin have warned the inhabitants of the necessity for the greatest cleanliness owing to the outbreak of dysentery.

THE WAR.

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS

ROUMANIA'S RECOVERY.

SAILLY-SALLISEL CAPTURED.

SANGUINARY FIGHTING IN RUSSIA.

FIRE EXCHANGED ON MONASTIR PLAINS.

The Roumanians have begun a new and vigorous offensive with the timely help of Russia. A Roumanian communiqué speaks of effective action all round.

According to an Athens message, at a long interview between the King and Sir Francis Elliot, the British Minister, the former insisted on the groundlessness of the suspicion that the Greeks contemplated attacking General Sarrail's force from the south and declared his readiness to withdraw the forces from Larissa as a proof of bona-fides.

A "Daily Mail" message from Athens says that evidence is growing of Constantine's intention to organise defence at Larissa; the adjourning stations are full of field-guns, shells and rifles.

Fire has been exchanged on the Monastir planes. The Serbians are progressing north-west of Dobropolje and the French captured enemy trenches on the depth of 400 metres on the right bank of the Vardar.

A despatch from Petrograd says a sanguinary frontal battle is proceeding three miles north of the Halicz bridgehead. Losses on both sides are very heavy. The railway from Halicz towards Jidatchoff is under Russian fire.

Obstinate fighting continues north of Korytnitza and near Bolshovce, where the Russians have repulsed the enemy's fierce counter-attacks.

The Russians have heavily repulsed attacks by considerable forces of Turks and Kurds 60 versts south of Erzingan.

The British extended their front north of Guendecourt towards Buttedewarlencourt.

The French completed the conquest of Sailly-Sallisel and cleared the ridges north-west and north-east of the village. They also carried the first German line between Maisonette and Baiches south of the Somme.

Official and Personal.

It is understood Mr. Hope Simpson will not return to the United Provinces but will retire on reversion from the Chief Commissionership of the Andamans.

Mr. E. E. P. Rose, resigns the Indian Civil Service on medical certificate.

Mr. C. Moore, I.C.S., on return from leave will relieve Mr. Drake Brockman as Magistrate and Collector of Jaunpur. The latter will then takes over charge as Registrar of Co-operative Societies, U. P.

ROUMANIAN RECOVERY ALL ROUND.

KING CONSTANTINE'S MILITARY PREPARATIONS.

FRENCH CAPTURE SAILLY-SALLISEL.

ROUMANIAN RECOVERY.

TIMELY HELP OF RUSSIA.

EFFECTIVE OFFENSIVE ALL ROUND.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 19.

The Roumanian news is regarded as showing that a new and vigorous offensive has begun with the timely help of Russia.

The Austrian and German communiqués which describe the situation as unchanged are subdued in tone, where as the Roumanian communiqué speaks of effective action all round, the repulse of enemy attacks on the passes and the capture of prisoners and war material. Fighting is stubborn everywhere.

The crucial points are apparently the Predeal Pass, south of Brasso, the valley of Oituz in south-west of Moldavia and Mount Mateias. The latter is twelve miles inside Roumania in the region of the Toerzburg Pass between Rjoar and Kampolung whence a railway runs direct to Bukharest.

If the Roumanians continue their success at Predeal the enemy at Mateias may find his position precarious.

The communiqué speaks of repeated fierce attacks and counter-attacks in Oituz where the enemy is striving to sever the communications between Moldavia and Wallachia.

TEN ENEMY DIVISIONS ON ROUMANIAN FRONT.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 19.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

"The Times" Bukharest correspondent estimates General Falkenhayn's force on the Roumanian front at ten divisions.

FRENCH MILITARY MISSION AT BUCHAREST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

BUKHAREST, Oct. 19.

A French military mission including General Berthelot, eight colonels, eight majors and eight other officers has arrived here.

ITALIAN OFFENSIVE.

STRONG REDOUBT CARRIED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

An Italian communiqué says:—We stormed enemy lines north of the summit of Mont Pasubio and carried a strong redoubt.

Two strong enemy columns attempting to counter-attack were almost destroyed by concentrated artillery fire. Further counter-attacks were driven off with heavy losses.

POST-WAR ECONOMIC PROBLEMS.

PREMIER ON CONSULTATION OF DOMINIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

In the House of Commons, Mr. Macmaster suggested that the Dominions should be represented on the Committee which is considering the resolutions of the Economic Conference.

Mr. Asquith replied that it would be most difficult to get representatives of the Dominions there now, but no decision would be taken without taking them into full confidence.

BRITISH PRISONERS IN GERMANY.

REPORTED IMPROVEMENT IN TREATMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

In the House of Commons, Lord Cecil announced that the latest reports from the American Embassy in Berlin showed that there had been some improvement in the treatment of British prisoners in Germany.

LEGION OF HONOUR FOR SIR PHILIP SASSOON.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

General Joffre has decorated Sir Philip Sassoon with the Legion of Honour.

SAILLY SALLISEL CAPTURED.

SURROUNDING RIDGES CLEARED.

FIRST LINE CARRIED SOUTH OF SOMME.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Oct. 19.

Last night's communiqué said:—The French completed the conquest of Sailly-Sallisel and cleared the ridges north-west and north-east of the village.

We carried in a rush the first German line beween Maisonette and Biaches south of the Somme.

Two hundred and fifty prisoners and several maxims have been captured.

Three enemy aeroplanes were brought down on the Somme. One of our aviators was attacked by three Fokkers. He brought down one of his opponents and drove others off.

ENEMY REPULSED NEAR BERNY-EN-SANTERRE

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Oct. 18.

A communiqué says, three enemy attacks against Sailly Saillisel were repulsed with considerable losses. We entirely maintained all gains.

The Germans attacked east of Berney-en-Santerre and some of them penetrated our advanced elements, but were immediately killed or captured. Others were repulsed in disorder, leaving a number of dead.

BRITISH FRONT EXTENDED.

150 PRISONERS TAKEN.

LONDON, Oct. 19.

General Haig last night reported:—An attack this morning extended our front north of Gueuedecourt towards Buttedewarlencourt. Hitherto we have taken 150 prisoners.

Yesterday our aircraft carried out three bombing raids on enemy communications. Railway stock and buildings were damaged and a train was derailed. Four enemy machines were driven down into a lake. Four of ours have not returned.

GERMAN ATTEMPTS TO BELITTLE LOSSES.

EVIDENCE OF GROWING NERVOUSNESS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 19.

The "Pioneer's" correspondent cables:—London, October 18:—The futility of denying the Anglo-French gains on the Somme is now apparently recognised by the compilers of the German reports, who, by way of balancing the admitted retirements are now claiming to have repulsed great attacks, which in fact have never been made. The German wireless represents the British thrust last Thursday as an endeavour to break through, which led only to the taking of a negligible quantity of fresh ground. British correspondents at the front all refute this. One writes: "We had prepared and made a minor thrust at certain points. We were unable to get on at others. We pushed forward as we had meant to do, killed large numbers and took nearly 200 prisoners and some machine-guns."

This correspondent also suggests that the enemy were on the point of launching a counter-attack, when we advanced. Certainly some of their trenches were unusually full and after the guns had done their work were full of dead. Undoubtedly our casualties were much fewer than those of the Germans.

Another correspondent attributes the packing of the trenches to the growing nervousness of the enemy, who hurried forward reserves immediately the bombardment opened. There are no deep dug-outs in these newly improvised trenches and our guns slaughtered the enemy literally in companies.

GERMAN MINISTER TO RESIGN.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct 19.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent states Herr Batocki has announced in the Reichstag his intention to resign.

NEARING MONASTIR.

FIRE EXCHANGED ON MONASTIR PLAINS.

FRENCH SUCCESS ON THE VARDAR.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

PARIS, Oct. 19.

Last night's communiqué said:—

On the right bank of the Vardar we captured enemy trenches to the depth of 400 metres. The Serbians are progressing north-west of Dobropolje.

Fire has been exchanged on Monastir plains.

Turkish contingents have arrived on the Lower Struma.

SERBIAN OPERATIONS AGAINST BULGARIANS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A Serbian official message from Salonika says, we attacked the Bulgarians at Dobropolji and Sokol on the 16th inst. and the operations continued on the 17th successfully.

SHIPPING LOSSES DURING WAR.

TWO MILLION TONS.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

In the House of Commons Mr. Runciman made a statement on the food question. He said that the Government's meat operations exceeded sixty millions sterling in valüe. Only 1,118 vessels out of 10,000 were free to conduct their own operations. We had lost by hostile action and marine risks two million tons of shipping which exceeded the whole French mercantile marine before the war.

Mr. Thorne suggested that the steamer Seistan should bring wheat from India to Great Britain instead of conveying dates from the Persian Gulf to New York.

Mr. Runciman replied that the Seistan was licensed to voyage from the Persian Gulf to New York and other British vessels from time to time were licensed to trade between foreign ports subject to primary consideration for the needs of the Empire and the Allies in the war. It was most undesirable that all foreign connection built up by British steamship lines which was a very valuable national asset, should be entirely severed. Due provision was being made for the carriage of exportable surplus of wheat from India.

AMERICA AND HUN PIRACY.

COMPLETE STATEMENT TO BE ISSUED

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

WASHINGTON, Oct. 19.

It is announced officially that there is no evidence that American destroyers were requested to move to enable a German submarine to destroy merchantmen in the recent raid. It is declared that the destroyers were present purely for humanitarian purposes. There is no indication when if at all. A complete statement regarding the American position with respect to submarine raids will be issued.

BELLIGERENT SUBMARINES.

WARNED OFF NORWEGIAN WATERS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 19.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

Reuter's Christiania correspondent states that belligerent submarines have been warned off the Norwegian waters unless under stress of weather endangering the lives of crews. The "Frankfurter Zeitung" expresses indifference. The "Koelnische Zeitung" states any Norwegian denial of the uncontested right of warships to repair damage at the nearest port would provoke a severe and effective answer.

NORWEGIAN STEAMER SUNK.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

The Norwegian steamer Kongalf has been sunk.

Reports regarding the recent floods in Benares district show that though the damage was considerable, everything was done to mitigate the evil. About 1,700 houses collapsed but the loss of life was remarkably small. Suspensions of rent and revenue will be necessary in the seriously affected tracts.

BATTLE FOR HALICZ BRIDGE-HEAD.

SANGUINARY FIGHTING IN PROGRESS.

RUSSIANS REPULSE TURKS SOUTH OF ERZINGAN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A Russian communiqué says, north of Korytnitza obstinate fighting continues. Fierce enemy counter-attacks here and near Bolshovce were repelled.

All enemy attacks near Dorna Vatra were repulsed. Snow is falling in the Carpathians.

We heavily repulsed attacks by considerable forces of Turks and Kurds 60 versts south of Erzingan.

The battle-ground at Bolshovce is between the railways running northwards towards Brzezany and north-west towards Eisbatchoff. Bolshovce is about a mile west of the former and less than two miles from the latter. Since Halicz was last mentioned in the communiqués the fighting on the Narajuvka has shifted considerably southwards, approaching the northern forts of Halicz.

ENEMY COMMUNICATIONS THREATENED

A later despatch from Petrograd says, a sanguinary frontal battle is proceeding three miles north of the Halicz bridgehead, in the angle formed by the junction of the Narajuvka and the Gnila Lipa rivers. Losses on both sides are very heavy. The railway from Halicz towards Jidatchoff is under Russian fire. The enemy's communications between Halicz and Lemberg are threatened.

IRISH QUESTION.

MR. REDMOND'S APPEAL FOR SETTLEMENT.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

Speaking in the Commons to-day Mr. Redmond said his object was to draw attention to the unsatisfactory situation in Ireland which was full of menace to the aspirations of Ireland and the good understanding between Great Britain and Ireland and also to the highest interests of the Empire.

Mr. Redmond complained that the efforts of Nationalists to popularise recruiting had been thwarted. Nevertheless 157,000 men had enlisted in Ireland into the Army, 92,000 of whom were Catholics, and 10,000 into the Navy.

Recruiting had diminished and Sinn Feinism increased from the day when the Coalition Government was formed. Finally came the rebellion. If the latter had been dealt with as General Botha dealt with the rising in South Africa he was profoundly convinced that the situation would have been saved. It would be a disaster if the Irish regiments at the front were not kept at full strength. He would do everything to avoid that but it was no use asking the impossible. Compulsion would make matters worse.

It was the Empire's duty to settle the Irish question on the basis of freedom and responsibility. Let the Government take its courage in both hands and trust Ireland for the present condition of things was injuriously affecting the British cause. Therefore, he appealed to the Government as one prepared to continue honestly to do his best to win the war to hearken seriously to his advice.

R. GINNELL M. P.

COMMONS AGREE TO TERMINATE SUSPENSION.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

The House of Commons has agreed to the termination of the suspension of Mr. Ginnell, who has written an apology to the Speaker.

KARACHI TROOP TRAIN TRAGEDY.

REPORT OF INQUIRY NOT TO BE PUBLISHED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

In the Commons to-day Mr. Chamberlain said that it was not proposed to publish the report of the troop train inquiry.

KING CONSTANTINE'S ASSURANCE.

SAYS ALLIES' SUSPICION IS GROUNDLESS.

FRENCH MEASURES TO MAINTAIN ORDER.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

ATHENS, Oct. 18.

There was a long interview last night between the King and Sir Francis Elliot, the British Minister. It is reported that the former insisted on the groundlessness of the suspicion that the Greeks contemplated attacking General Sarrail's force from the south and declared his readiness to withdraw the forces from Larissa as a proof of bona-fides.

Very severe measures to maintain order have been taken by the French detachments, who have been reinforced by a hundred men and four machine-guns. The whole force is situated in the Zappeion Park.

The French were cheered as they marched up. While passing through a side street they met a Greek naval detachment which turned into another side street.

CONSTANTINE'S MILITARY PREPARATIONS.

TO ORGANISE DEFENCE AT LARISSA.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 18.

A message to the "Daily Mail" from Athens says that there were high words between the King and Prof. Lambros when the latter presented the French Admiral's refusal to moderate the Allies' demands

The King told Prof. Lombros that he was only a confederate of the Admiral to present such a Note and Prof. Lambros afterwards told his friends that he intended to resign as he realised that the country was an autocracy.

When French sailors landed the King became exceedingly angry and said that there was nothing left but to go to Larissa.

M. Skouloudis, M. Gounaris and others hastened to Tatoi and implored the King not to take the irrevocable step and the King deferred his departure.

Meanwhile evidence is growing of the King's intention to organise defence at Larissa; the adjoining stations are full of field-guns, shells and rifles.

ALLIES' DEMAND FOR RAILWAY CARRIAGES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

ATHENS, Oct. 18.

The Allies demanded 200 carriages of the Larissa railway for the Allied troops in Macedonia. The Government replied that it was prepared to provide some carriages, but the handing over of the number demanded, which constitutes half the rolling stock, would paralyse the traffic.

QUEEN OF GREECE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 19.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

The Rome correspondent of the "Central News Agency" says the Queen of Greece has repeatedly rejected the Kaiser's advice to return to Germany. Recently she visited all the barracks in Athens and addressed the soldiers.

The "Agenzia Nazionale's" Athens correspondent states that the Queen is present at every audience granted by King Constantine.

KING CONSTANTINE A NOBEL PEACE PRIZE CANDIDATE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 19.

The "Civil and Military Gazette's" correspondent cables:—

The "Danziger Mechrichten's" Christiania correspondent states King Constantine of Greece is a candidate for the Nobel Peace Prize.

HONOURS AND AWARDS FOR MESOPOTAMIA

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

In the Commons Mr. Lloyd George said that he hoped to issue honours and awards for Mesopotamia shortly.

Mr. Forster stated that about 2,850 of all ranks of Kut prisoners had been accounted for. This number included Indians and those who had been reported exchanged or dead. The prisoners had been distributed over some 16 places and information was scanty but those in camps were believed to be fairly well treated.

At the annual general meeting of the Lucknow Branch of the Anglo-Indian Empire League a resolution was passed requesting the Viceroy to consider the unanimous and earnest prayer of the Association that Mr. Abbott may be nominated to the Imperial Legislative Council at an early date.

ALLEGED OUTRAGING OF MODESTY.

PROSECUTION EVIDENCE.

Before the Second Presidency Magistrate at Mazagaon, Inspector Spiers charged Shiba Gopal, with outraging the modesty of Lena Grant aged 12.

Mr. H. A. H. Payne, was for the prosecution and the accused was represented by Mr. Sorab Banaji.

At the previous hearing Mrs. Atkinson said:—Lena Grant is under my protection. On 11th September last she was staying with me and my husband in our house. At the same time Lena's friend Marie Hoy was staying with us. Lena Grant on 12th September was an absolutely innocent child. She has been all along in the Convent and had come over only for her holidays.

On Monday 11th September Marie Hoy and Lena Grant went out for a walk. Between 7 and 7-30 p.m. they told me on their return that a native man in a black cap had been following them. Mr. Atkinson was present. I did not take much notice but Mr. Atkinson was of a different opinion and he gave them certain instructions if such a thing happened again. The next evening these children left home at about 5 o'clock for a walk. At about lamplight 7 or 7-30 p.m. Marie Hoy came running up to the porch of our house where Mr. Atkinson and myself were standing. Marie Hoy told us that the man who had followed them the preceding day had again followed them that day and was talking to Lena. She told us that the man had asked them to go to his house and the garden in the vicinity for five minutes. Mr. Atkinson went with Marie to the Convent Street. The next thing I saw Lena talking to Mr. Atkinson at the corner of Convent Street and Colaba Causeway and saw a man walking behind Lena. As soon as Lena spoke to Mr. Atkinson the man ran away, and Mr. Atkinson chased him. I left the little children and the ayah back at my house and went to the Convent Street to see what had taken place. There I saw the accused lying on the ground and Mr. Atkinson told me to go and fetch the Police. I went and made a complaint to Inspector Spiers who sent a native policeman with me. The Policeman arrested the accused and took him to the Police station. The following morning the accused was put up before the learned Acting Third Presidency Magistrate. The next two or three days Lena Grant complained of head-ache. As she continued to complain of headache and did not seem to me to be herself I called her on Sunday to myself. She did not seem to be well. I sent the other children away and asked her what was wrong with her.

Mr. Banaji objected to the witness stating what Lena Grant told her. The Court thereupon passed the following order: I disallow the objection having regard to the peculiar circumstances in this case as disclosed by the evidence and as witness is a person in authority over Lena Grant.

Witness continuing said:—Lena Grant was at first very loth to tell me. I asked her if anything else had taken place between her and the man. I persuaded her to tell me everything if anything did happen. She then told me that the man had pulled her into the Church Garden and attempted to throw her down. She struggled with him. Witness then repeated Lena Grant's account alleging that accused attempted to assault her. Accused then let her go and was following her to the house. They were coming by Convent Street when Mr. Atkinson met them.

LENA GRANT'S EVIDENCE.

Lena Grant sworn, examined, said:—On 11th September in the morning Marie Hoy and myself went for a walk to Apollo Bunder. We sat on the stone wall at the end of the Bunder. We saw the accused there. While we were seated on the Bunder the accused came and sat on a bench in front of us and beckoned to us, we got up from there and went home. In the evening we went to the Beach near the Back Bay Baths. We were seated on the rocks and the accused came there and also sat on the rocks. He beckoned to us and asked us where we lived. We got up and were returning home. We did not answer the accused. He followed us to a shop called Sunny Bori near our house. We went home and saw Mr. and Mrs. Atkinson. We reported what the man had done to Mrs. Atkinson. Mr. Atkinson was present. Mr. Atkinson said that if the man followed us again we should report the matter to him. The next morning we did not go out. In the evening we went to the beach near the Back Bay Swimming Bath. We were sitting on the rocks and the accused came and sat near us again. He beckoned to us by his finger and again asked us where we lived. Without making any reply we left the place and moved further on where we sat. He followed us and again came and moved further on where we sat. He followed us and again came and sat near us. We got up from there and went and sat on a bench near the Bandstand. Accused came and sat on the same bench. We got up from there and were returning home by the Green (Cooperage). When we got to the military barracks, accused who followed us gave me a ball. I threw away the ball. He made bad signs. Marie then left me near the Church to go and call Mr. Atkinson. Accused was following us when Marie left. After this accused took me by the hand and knocked me down, in the Church compound. I struggled to get away. After this the accused caught me by the hand and dragged me across the road. It had gone dark at the time and lights were on in the neighbouring houses. Accused then led me to a garden behind the Y. M. C. A. He knocked me down in the garden. When I got to the end of the street I saw Mr. Atkinson. Mr. Atkinson asked me which was the man. I told him that the man was behind me. The accused then ran away, and I did not see anything more. I did not see Marie Hoy when Mr. Atkinson met me in Convent Street.

On Sunday following I told Mrs. Atkinson all that had taken place. I did not tell her before as I was feeling ashamed. I told Mrs. Atkinson in Mr. Khairaz's Court what had taken place near the military barracks.

Cross-examined by Mr. Banaji:—It is true that I told Mr. Banaji in Mr. Khairaz's Court that I was not frightened. I was quite cool and collected in the Court. Inspector Spiers asked me about the bad signs. I did not then say what these bad signs were.

Mr. Banaji addressing the Court on the question of framing charges, said the case was one of attempted rape. All the evidence now intended to be put forward, was available and could have been mentioned before Mr. Khairaz on the 13th of September. The present prosecution was an attempt to re-open a case already discharged under cover of the bashful and shy disposition of the girl. There was no fresh evidence forthcoming and the witnesses were just the same as were before Mr. Khairaz. This prosecution was nothing but the direct result of the accused having prosecuted Mr. Atkinson on a charge of hurt before Mr. Setalwad. In fact the accused was paying the penalty because he acted on the suggestion of the learned Third Presidency Magistrate and the advice of his counsel.

Mr. Banaji said that no charge should be framed on the sort of evidence now disclosed before the Court. To rely on evidence of this nature was thoroughly unsafe. The present story was a pure fabrication and if a charge was to be framed, it should be framed under sections 366 and 375, I. P. C. kidnapping for the purpose of sexual intercourse and attempt to rape.

The Magistrate framed charges under section 354, I. P. C.

MRS. ATKINSON CROSS-EXAMINED.

Yesterday Mrs. Atkinson cross-examined by Mr. Banaji said she was in Mr. Khairaj's Court when the case was going on there. She spoke to Mr. Atkinson and Mr. Spiers about the bad signs. Only the bad signs were brought to Mr. Khairaj's notice, they were not explained to him. When Lena first told about it Mr. Atkinson gave her (Lena) instructions to let the accused follow her, and to bring him upstairs so that he could be handed over to the police. On the second day Mary came to her at about 7 p.m., and told her that the same man was following and talking to Lena; Atkinson was present there. She said Lena was on the Wodehouse Road, about two or three minutes' walk from their house. They were in a hurry to catch the man and therefore Mary was not asked why Lena was left behind. The first time she saw Lena was when they were going to the Police Station, and the accused was taken charge of by the police. She spoke to Lena in the presence of Mary as they were going to the Police Station; Lena was not crying; she was not excited and there was nothing unusual in her dress. Lena was taken by the accused to the church compound and the compound is overlooked by the Wodehouse Road. At seven in the evening Wodehouse Road is lonely. She could not tell whether the wicket gates to the gardens behind Rafiya Manzil were always closed. Many windows of the Y. M. C. A. Buildings and the surrounding buildings overlook the garden which is dark. It was not true that a number of Ayahs and children pass the Wodehouse Road between 6-30 and 7-30 p.m. Witness was annoyed at the remarks made by Mr. Khairaj on the 13th September, because he was not symphathetic. She did not like the case reported in the papers, because in Mr. Khairaj's Court evidence was not fully given. She did discuss the matter for a few days, because she wanted the man punished.

At this stage the Magistrate admonished the witness to have more respect for the Court and not to make the day hotter by being haughty (laughter).

Continuing the witness said Lena was indisposed since the second day after the case was heard in Mr. Khairaj's Court, although the child went out for her usual walks morning and evening. She got the story from the child after a lot of persuasion; she had to encourage the child; witness then told this to Mr. Atkinson and the latter went to Mr. Spiers. The result of Dr. Powell's examination of the child was that the child was stated to be absolutely not injured.

Lena Grant cross-examined by Mr. Banaji said she was sworn in Mr Khairaj's Court but she could not understand the nature of the oath. On Monday morning the accused beckoned to her, but she did not say a single word to him. After some further evidence had been given the case was adjourned.

FATAL ALTERCATION.

STABBED WITH PENKNIFE.

A Hindu dealer in silk cloth, named Dullabhji Javerchand, went to the Princess Street Police Station, about 9 a.m. yesterday and complained that he had been assaulted by a man named Deoji Valji. He left and about a quarter of an hour afterwards information was received that another altercation had taken place between the two men on Vithaldas Road, in which, it is alleged, Deoji stabbed Dullabhji with a penknife. Dullabhji was removed to the hospital, where he subsequently succumbed to his injuries.

An inquest was subsequently held by Dr. W. Nunan, the Coroner, on view of the dead body of Dullabhji. Dr. Arthur Powell, Police Surgeon, who examined the body of the deceased, said he found a clean-cut stab wound on the chest which penetrated the heart and that the death was due to this wound which could have been caused by the penknife produced. Further enquiry was adjourned.

ILLICIT POSSESSION OF COCAINE.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, at the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, Excise Inspector Nusserwanji Sorabji Master charged a coachman named Mahomed Kassum with being in possession of half a grain of cocaine without a license.

The accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and was sentenced to a fine of Rs. 8.

LIEUT. NAWABZADA AHMED KHAN.

Lieutenant Nawabzada Ahmed Khan, younger brother of H. H. the Nawab of Sachin, arrived in Bombay by the Hospital ship Delta during last week. He is at present in the Lady Hardinge War Hospital as he is suffering from the effects of a very serious riding accident which occurred in Egypt on 2nd September. For five days the Nawabzada was in a state of coma and was for some time paralysed in the left leg, and had lost the power of speech, but both have now been regained. It is now feared that his spinal cord is affected. The Nawbzada was serving with the 1st Hyderabad Imperial Service Lancers, and was Squadron Commander of "A" Squadron of the regiment. He has been on Field Service in Egypt since October 1914, and was in seven engagements and skirmishes before he was invalided back to India.

GUJARAT EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION.

An informal meeting of the teachers of the local primary schools was held at Ahmedabad on the 15th instant, to discuss the following questions of primary education:—Curriculun and text-books, method of examination, buildings, age of admission in schools, the pay and training of teachers and the teaching of English in higher primary standards.

The following subjects have been finally selected for discussion in the meeting of delegates which is to be held at 8 a.m., on the 23rd instant, at Premabhai Hall Bhadra, Ahmedabad:—(1) Agricultural education in primary schools, (2) Curriculum of secondary schools, (3) Vernaculars as the media of instruction, (4) Physical education of students and (5) Technical education.

Those who wish to take part in the discussion are requested to give intimation to the secretaries before the 22nd inst.

The full session of the delegates and visitors will be held at 12 p.m. on the 24th inst., in the pandal of the Provincial Conference, when the presidents of the Gokhale Society and the Conference will deliver their addresses and resolutions will be passed.

NEW FIRE TEMPLE AT DEOLALI.

A LADY'S GIFT OF OVER RS 75,000.

A very handsome fire temple at Deolali erected and endowed at the cost of over Rs. 75,000 by Bai Ruttonbai Jamshedji Chinoy of Hyderabad is to be consecrated on the 27th instant. As such an event is held in high respect by the Parsis, a very large concourse of Zoroastrians will proceed to that station from all parts of the Presidency. Special trains are being arranged for the occasion. Large shamianas are being erected for the accommodation of those who choose to take their afternoon meals after the ceremony. The specials will start on their return journey between 4 and 5 in the afternoon to enable the people to be at home for dinner.

EXCISE PROSECUTION.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT TO RESIST LAWFUL ARREST.

Before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, yesterday, at the Esplanade Police Court, one Haji Yacoob Dadamia Bala, seller of betel leaves, and one Kassim Mahomed, a tinsmith, were charged by Excise Inspector Hudson with being in possession without a license of 5 lbs. of opium worth Rs. 210, and with resisting lawful arrest.

The Excise Inspector applied for a remand that the Public Prosecutor might be able to appear.

The first accused was defended by Mr. N. N. Saher barrister-at-law.

"NEW INDIA" CASE.

JUSTICES AYLING AND IYER'S JUDGMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Oct. 19.

In the "New India" case Justice Ayling delivered a separate but concurring judgment in which his Lordship held that the grounds for interference by the High Court must be confined to those set out in the section 19. That the test to find out whether the articles objected to were really objectionable was to consider their ordinary effects on the minds of ordinary readers. The question of intention of the publicist was relevant only so far as it was deducible from the words complained against. His Lordship held that the words "Government established by law" in section 4 of the Press Act should not be confined to "Supremacy of the Crown" and "British Connection" and any attempt to bring into contempt or hatred the local Government came within the meaning of the section.

ARTICLES ANALYSED.

His Lordship then analysed the various articles in question. As regards the articles Nos. 1 and 2 the mere fact that they were letters written by correspondents was no ground for non-liability and references to the blind hostility of the Madras Government, identification of the bureaucracy, "Anglo-India" and "Madras Government" with each other, imputation of personal motives to Government in their action in requiring security from Mrs. Besant and the description of the action of the Government as "Inhuman" had the effect of exposing the Government to contempt and hatred.

In the extract No. 6, headed "Prussianism in India" there was the same imputation of unworthy motives to Government.

In extract No. 10, the personnel of the Governor-in-Council of Madras was characterised as "Personal Enemies" of Mrs. Besant, ready to put the Defence of India Act in operation against her.

Extract No. 13, headed "Bal Gangadhar Tilak" after condemning the action of the Bombay Government in asking Mr. Tilak to furnish a security of Rs. 40,000 proceeded to attribute the action of Government to the desire to prevent him from going to prosecute his action against Sir Valentine Chirol in England,—a motive which was of the basest kind.

Extract No. 11, headed the "Outrage in Calcutta" condemned the search of the police for jewels in the house of the "Editor of the 'Bengalee,'" characterised their action as a crime and concluded that people paid taxes only to be wronged.

Article No. 9 consisted mainly of an unsavoury comparison between the characteristics of an Englishman at home and of an Anglo-Indian after some experience in India, flattered by the natives of the country.

Article No. 12 was an article by Mr. Bepin Chandra Pal, headed "Three ways to Home Rule" wherein the foreign character of the Government was insistently dwelt upon.

Article No. 14 which referred to the speech of the Hon. Mr. V. S. Srinivasa Sastry characterised the Indian students as being under "the grip of foreigners" and laid the responsibility for their living in insanitary conditions on the heads of foreigners.

Extract No. 7, headed "the latest political crime in Calcutta and its moral" dealt with the assassination of a Bengali police officer, the author was was Mr. Bepin Chander Pal, and throughout the article there was censure of the crime, an admiration of the criminal and holding the latter up in much more favourable light than he ought to be. His Lordship took a different view of this article from the Chief Justice and also Mr. Justice Seshagiri Iyer.

Extract No. 4 consisted of seven articles relating to the reservation of compartments for European and Anglo-Indian passengers. The editor asks a correspondent why he got out of the reserved compartment and remarks that submission to the illegality was the cause of troubles of India. These writings culminated in a riot. If the object of the editor had been to raise a test case to question the legality of the reservation it must have been clearly expressed. As it stood, the effect of editorial comment might be that persons should take the law into their own hands.

On an exhaustive review of all the articles His Lordship held that the ten extracts fell within one or other of the clauses of Section 4, and saw no reason to interfere with the order of forfeiture and dismissed the application.

JUSTICE SESHAGIRI IYER'S JUDGMENT

Justice Seshagiri Iyer after setting out the facts of the case held that the order imposing security could not be questioned by the High Court sitting as special bench under the Press Act and that the powers of the High Court as well as the remedy of the applicant must be confined to section 17 of the Press Act. His Lordship held that the Press Act was not *ultra vires* Indian legislature, inasmuch as the application to the High Court was open to any person aggrieved by an order of forfeiture. His Lordship further held that the only way in which the applicant could attack the order of forfeiture was by showing that she came under the explanation to the section 4 of the Press Act. His Lordship held that having regard to the changed circumstances of the country it should not be held that where a person dwells on the foreign character of the Government with a view to change the system of administration but without attempting to excite hatred or contempt between Indians and the British, he came within the purview of section 4 of the Press Act. In this connection his Lordship said:—

"In my opinion a suggestion to the effect that indigenous agency would be more suitable in certain departments of administration and should be more largely employed in others, should not be regarded as exciting hatred or disaffection. Of course, a language may be employed which may render the advocacy dangerous. But *prima facie* I would be unable to discern in the criticism of this kind an intention to excite hatred or contempt. I would also qualify the phrase which says, that attributing indifference to the welfare of the people would amount to sedition, provided the language does not impart corrupt or malicious motives. If the writing aims to draw attention to a weak point in the administration in the hope that criticism may lead to redress of the grievances or removal of disability, I do not think the writing can be condemned. The demand that there should be an alteration in state is one of those claims which every law-abiding subject interested in the well-being of the Government legitimately advances. Government means British Rule and its representative as such, existing political system as distinguished from any particular set of administration."

Dealing with the articles in question his Lordship remarked that the extract No. 1 was an ill-balanced, foolish and mischievous production but did not contravene section 4 of the Press Act.

Extract No. 2 offended section 4 (1) (c).

Extract No. 8 came within section 4 (1) (c).

Extract No. 11 was obnoxious to section 4 (1) (c) and (e).

Extract No. 13 came within section 4 (1) (c) and the others were not within the section 4 of the Press Act.

None of the articles, however, showed disloyalty on the part of the applicant to Government and the policy of the paper was to advocate Home Rule by lawful methods. In view, however, of the objectionable character of the extracts above referred to, his Lordship dismissed the application.

The Public Prosecutor, Mr. E. R. Osborne claimed the costs of the Crown but their Lordships declined to make any order as regards costs.

PETITION FOR A WRIT DISMISSED.

The petition presented by Mrs. Besant under sections 435 and 439 of the Criminal Procedure Code and sections 105 and 107 of the Government of India Act for issuing a writ of *certiorari* to the Chief Presidency Magistrate was also dismissed.

MADRAS PRESS COMMENTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Oct. 19.

Commenting on the judgment of the "New India" case the "Madras Times" says,—"We fell certain the decision is on the side of law and order." Continuing the paper says:—"All three of the judges have agreed in throwing out the appeal so there is no room for any uncomfortable feeling that the minority judgment was perhaps the right one. Furthermore, there is no room for feeling that Mrs. Besant had the court against her, for, during the trial she was given every chance and the Chief Justice indeed in getting at facts sometimes seemed to be acting very much as, if he were counsel in Mrs. Besant's behalf."

The "Swadeshimitran" says:—"One not result of the six different judgments is that so far as Mrs. Besant is concerned she has obtained no relief in either of the cases. That the public will feel deeply for her and sympathise with her on this account admits of no doubt.

MADRAS, Oct. 19.

Commenting on the judgment of the "New India" case the "Hindu" says:—Many of those who had watched the course and the nature of arguments at the hearing before the Court would not, we think, have felt that the conclusion which the learned judges have now come to, was an inevitable one. The result of the case shows that a grave blow to the freedom of the press in this country can be inflicted by means of the Indian Press Act

MRS. BESANT TO TAKE CIVIL ACTION

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

MADRAS, Oct. 19.

Mrs. Besant writing in "New India" says:—The nett result is that the Magistrate's order demanding security is illegal but the High Court cannot interfere as his act is administrative. I have a civil remedy by an action. She continues: "A suit will of course be brought as quickly as law permits and will seek to recover Rs. 12,000 at least as these securities are declared to have been illegally taken. I shall also seek leave to appeal on the question of *ultra vires* of section 22 and 4 which place the High Court in an undignified position of declaring the order illegal but confessing it to be powerless to annul it.

NEW MUSLIM LEAGUE OF LAHORE.

ADVOCACY OF SEPARATE REPRESENTATION.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

LAHORE, Oct. 19.

The executive committee of the new Muslim League have passed resolutions advocating separate representation of the Moslem community not merely on the strength of its numbers but also its historical importance and condemning agitation in the United Provinces led by the Hon. Pandit Madan Mohan Malaviya and the Hon. Mr. Chintamani.

ALL-INDIA MOSLEM LEAGUE.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 19.

There will be a meeting of the members of the Council of the All-India Moslem League here on the 16th November to consider the self-government scheme. On the following day they will confer with the members of the All-India Congress Committee.

EXCELSIOR THEATRE

BANDMANN COMPANY'S SEASON.

Last night a large audience at the Excelsior witnessed the production of "Grumpy." The performance is a triumph for Mr. Compton Coutts who gives a delightful rendering of the central figure in the play. To-night "The Only Girl" will be performed and to-morrow night and on Sunday at 6 p.m. "The Cinema Star" will be the attraction.

JUGGLER'S PLEA FOR MURDERING HIS SON.

APPEAL AGAINST TRANSPORTATION FOR LIFE DISMISSED

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

ALLAHABAD, Oct. 19.

A curious murder case has just been decided by Justices Walsh and Stuart in the Allahabad High Court in which one Chedda Muhammad, a juggler, was sentenced to transportation for life for the murder of his own son aged ten years. The accused's defence was that he sacrificed the boy in the name of the Almighty for the sake of his followers, so that they may increase in numbers. It was a divine order. The appeal was dismissed.

INDIAN ARMY OFFICERS ON UNEMPLOYED LIST.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM.)

LONDON, Oct. 17.

In the Commons Mr. Chamberlain said that since the war every effort had been made to re-employ Indian Army officers permitted to reside out of India under the Indian Army regulations but many were senior Lieut.-Colonels or Colonels for whom employment suitable to their rank and years could not be found. The suspension of transfer to the unemployed supernumerary list was a natural sequel to the fact that retirements were not allowed in war. No officers could claim to be put on the list on a particular date as the right of the Secretary of State to, postpone such transfers was reserved in the Royal Warrant establishing the list.

CALCUTTA SHARE MARKET.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

CALCUTTA, Oct. 19.

At the share market to-day there was a distinct drop in jutes due probably to rumours of impending taxation on war profits and sellers preponderated over buyers. Coal shares met with more liberal support and a fairly large turn-over was reported in these securities. The following sales took place:—

Coal:—Adjai 337; Aldih 185, 186; Bansra 14-8, 14-10, 15; Bhalgora 30-8, 30-12; Burrakur 30-8 to 33-8; Bokaro Jherriah 5-4, 5-8; Gopalichuck 8-12; Muntodih 17, 17-4; Industry 7-4; Jumoni 5-4, 5-8; Kuardi 17-4, 17-8; Lakurka 29 to 29-12; New Beerbhoom 49-8, 49-12 to 50-4; New Tetturya 10-4, 10-8; Pench River 21; Phuliarand 4; Rancegunge 33, 33-4; Sendra 18, 18-4; Satpukuria and Asansol 8, 8-4; Upper Pench 7-12, 8.

Jute:—Barnagore (ord) 140 to 143; Belvedere (ord) 419; Budge-Budge (ord) 494; Caledonian 265; Dalhousie (pref) 129; Delta (ord) 473, 476 s.l.; Fort Gloster (ord) 555; Fort William (ord) 214, 212; Kamarhatty (ord) 433, 436, 437, 435; Kelvin (ord) 584, 586; Lothian 83; Naihati (ord) 310; New Central (ord) 386, 387; Northbrook (ord) 41-12; Orient 14-8, 15; Soorah (ord) 215, 216; Standard (ord) 450; Union (ord) 560.

Tea:—Bishnauth 30; Bahtkawa 5; Rajabhat 27-8.

Miscellaneous:—Allahabad Bank (ord) 313, 315; Bengal Paper (ord) 44-8; Carew and Co. 90; Khardah Jute 5 per cent. (deb.) 100; Muir Mills 67; Russa Eng 181, 182.

Government Paper:—3½ per cent. was quoted at Rs. 77-8 to Rs. 77-12, and small lots were done at Rs. 78 to Rs. 78-4.

The Bank of Bengal rate of interest remains unchanged.

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COMMERCIAL.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

COTTON.

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAM)

Liverpool, Oct. 18th.

Total Imports — — — — — 15,000

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES :—

Months.	To-day's opening price.	
October.	10.53	
Oct.-Nov.	10.53	
Nov.-Dec.	10.52	
Dec.-Jan.	10.53	
Jan.-Feb.	10.53	
Feb.-Mar.	10 55	+14
Mar.-Apl.	10 56	
Apl.-May	10 57	
May-June	10.58	
June-July	10.56	
July-Aug.	10 55	
Aug.-Sept.	10.35	
Sept.-Oct.	9.96	

Prices taken at 10-10 a.m. nearest actual values.

WOOL AUCTION.

Liverpool, Oct. 17th.

Wool Auction closed to-day steady
Bales sold 48,000
Vicanere First White highest 18½ d.
" " " lowest 15 d.
" Ordinary " highest 14 d.
" " " lowest 12 d.
Candahar First " highest 16½ d.
" " " lowest 14½ d.
" Ordinary " highest 14 d.
" " " lowest 12 d.
Bicanere White " highest 13 d.
" " " lowest 10½ d.

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Oct. 18th.

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	.. ..	51,000
Futures at New York January	.. ..	18.51+36
" March	.. ..	18.41+34
Spot Cotton at New York	.. ..	18.60+45
" New Orleans	.. ..	17.81+50
Futures at New Orleans January	.. ..	18.15+34
" March	.. ..	18.35+32

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Oct. 17th.

LINSEED.

Linseed Calcutta Oct.-Nov. Quoted	.. ..	81/6
Linseed Afloat	.. ..	221,000

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(From our Commercial Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, Oct. 19.

To-day in sympathy with higher advices from America the market here opened steady with M. G. Good Broach opened at Rs. 385 and advanced steadily on speculative buying to Rs. 393 and has since given way a little.

Business has been restricted mainly to the bazaar. Mills have been in the market for short stapled styles but only a small business is reported.

Ready cotton continues in good demand.
G. M. G. Broach, Rs. 392.
F. G. Bengal, Rs. 289.
F. K/Akola, Rs. 357/8.

Messrs. PATEL BROS APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS AT MID-DAY.

Bombay, Oct. 19th.

DESCRIPTION.		DELIVERY. Jan. 1917	Mar. 1917	April 1917	Spot.
Broach,	Good M.G.	..	393/4	..	386/7
Broach,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	3150/4
Bengal,	F.G. M.G.	284	..	..	273/90
Bengal,	Fine M.G.	296	..	..	285/92
Bengal,	Superfine M.G.	..	..	..	297/3.
Rajputana,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	..
Sind Panjab,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	285/90
Kham. Akola	Fine M.G.	5..	..	..	333/40
Ellich/Amraoti,	Fine M.G.	28	..	..	335/42
Dhamg./Pulgaon,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	337/45
Yeotmal,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	340/47
Nagpore,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	342/50
Hingt./Wardha,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	345/50
Khandeish.	Fine M.G.	330/1	..	..	312/17
Khandeish.	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	305/10
Khandwa Sanawad,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	315/20
Jalna	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	300/05
Indore,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	320/27
Ujjain,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	330/4
Nander,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	360/70
Mathia,	Fine M.G.	..	..	..	302/07
Mathia,	F.G. M.G.	..	..	..	288/95
SawGinned Dharwar	Good	..	..	..	355/65
Coompta,	Good M.G.	..	..	..	385/95
Westerns,	Good M.G.	..	..	..	372/77
Westerns,	Good H.G.	..	..	..	362/70

THE BOMBAY COTTON EXCHANGE CO., LD.

Market Quotation for Ready and Forward Delivery Contracts at fixed by the Rate Committee of the Exchange.

COLABA, 19th October, 1916, 5-30 p.m.

Growths.	Super-fine.	Fine.	Fully Good.	Delivery.
Bengals (M.G.)	315	302	292	..1/25th Jan.1917
Bengals (M.G.)	295	..	..	.. Leady New
	..	292	280	.. Ready
Scinde-Punjab (M.G.)	..	285	273	.. Ready
	..	315	300	.. Ready
Khandesh (M.G.)	..	340	325	..1/25th Jan-1917
	..	..	..	..
Jalna (M.G.) G.S	..	..	308	.. Ready
Barsee (M.G.) G.S.	..	..	325	.. Ready
Ujjain (M.G.) G.S.	..	..	340	.. Ready
	..	..	..	..
Akola Khamg.	..	338	326	.. Ready
Karanja(M.G.)	..	360	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
	..	..	..	..
Oomrawatee descriptions (M.G.)	..	340	328	.. Ready
	..	364	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
Dhamangaum	..	345	333	.. Ready
Poolgaum(M.G.)	..	367	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
Yeotmal (M.G.)	..	352	340	.. Ready
	..	370	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
Nagpore	..	355	340	.. Ready
Kamptl(M.G.)	..	378	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
Wardha H'ghat (M.G.)	..	357	345	.. Ready
	..	380	..	..1/25th Jan.1917
Broach (M.G.)	..	345	337	.. Ready
	..	400	..	..1/25th Mar.1917
Wadhwan (M.G.)	..	..	..	392 1/25th Ap. 1917
H.G.	..	352	340	.. Ready
Mathia (M.G.)	..	313	300	.. Ready
	..	338	..	..1/25th Jan 1917
Bhagalkote-Bijapur (M.G.)	..	..	..	390 Ready
	..	..	..	367 Ready
Sawgd. Dharwar	..	..	..	370 April/May 17
	..	..	..	..
	..	..	..	385 Ready
Westerns (M.G.)	..	..	..	385 April/May 17
Westerns (H.G.)	..	..	..	380 Ready
Compta (M G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	..	..	398 Ready
	..	..	..	392 April/May 17
Miraj (M.G.)	..	..	..	..
	..	..	..	400 Ready
	..	..	..	395 April/May 17
Indoor (M.G.)	..	..	380	.. Ready
(G.s.)	..	..	..	..

RECEIPTS OF COTTON AND PRODUCE.

The following are the receipts of Cotton, Wheet and Seeds by rail and sea into Bombay during the 24 hours up till 6 p.m. on 18th October.

Cotton	2,638	Bales.
Wheat	7,443	cwts.
Linseed	17,342	,,
Rape, Rai and Mustard Seed.	90	,,
Ginjellyseed	1,756	,,
Poppyseed	1	,,
Groundnuts	7,097	,,
Castorseed	6,557	,,
Rise	5,490	,,
Cottonseed	1,699	,,
Gram	265	,,
Joowar	927	,,
Barley	110	,,

EXCHANGE.

Banks' Selling Rates :—
T. T. Ready ..... 1s. 4 3-32d. to 1s. 4¼.
D. D. Mail ..... 1s. 4¼d. to 1s. 4 5-32d.
T. T. Forward ..... 1s. 4¼d. Nov.
Bank's Buying Rates :—
Credits 3 Months' Sight Ready. 1s. 4 15-32d.
Do. do. Forward ..... 1s. 4¼d. Nov.
Do. 6 m-s. Ready ..... 1s. 4 23-32d.
Francs 3 m-s. do. ..... 193.
60 d-s. Hong-Kong ..... 161½.
Do. Shanghai ..... 227½.
Do. Yokohama ..... 155½.

BULLION.

	Rs.
English Bar Gold	27-0-0
Australian do.	25-14-0
Bombay do.	25-4-0
English Shield Sovereigns	17-4-0
English Dragons	16-4-0
Do. 1st Settlement	82-8-0
Do. 2nd Settlement	82-12-0

WHEAT AND SEEDS.

Bombay, Oct. 19th—4 p.m.

The following are to-day's closing rates as issued by the Marwari Chamber of Commerce.

Ready.	Bazaar Terms. Rs. a. p.	Rail' Delivery. Rs. a. p.
Wheat, White Delhi 70-30' ..	39 0 0	5 14 0
Wheat, White Cawnpore 70-30 ..	38 8 0	5 13 6
Wheat, Karachi Bangla ..	39 0 0	5 15 0
Rapeseed, Brown Delhi ..	6 5 0	6 11 0
Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore ..	6 3 0	6 9 0
Rapeseed, Yellow Cawnpore' ..	7 0 0	7 6 0
Linseed, Brown Bold ..	9 0 0	9 10 0
Linseed, Brown Thin ..	8 15 0	9 5 0
Teelseed, White 85.15 ..	43 0 0	9 0 0
,, Gajar 75.25 ' ..	42 0 0	....
,, Gajar 50.50 ' ..	41 0 0	....
,, Black ..	37 0 0	....
Popyseed, White ..	6 14 0	7 7 0
Groundnuts ..	42 0 0	....
Mowraseed ..	4 0 0	4 4 0
Jowa ..	29 0 0	4 2 0
Arandla ..	38 0 0	....
Forward.	Rs. a. p.	
heat April-May ..	5 13 9	
Inseed May ..	10 9 6	
Teelseed White 85-15 Dec./Jan. ..	9 0 0	
Jowa Oct. ..	4 2 0	
Rapeseed April.-May ..	6 12 0	

SHARE MARKET.

(From our Correspondent.)

BOMBAY, Oct. 19.

The Cotton Mill shares as well as Tata Iron and Steel shares stood weak throughout the day.

In Mill shares for Mahurat delivery Davids closed at Rs. 575.

Fazulbhai were placed between the prices varying from Rs. 685 to Rs. 662½, Standards between Rs. 1,595 to Rs. 1,580, Madhavji from Rs. 1495 to Rs. 1,480 and Central India from Rs. 2,550 to Rs. 2,515.

Swadeshi declined to Rs. 1,830, Currimbhai to Rs. 315, Crescent to Rs. 205 and Indore Malwas to Rs. 400.

Bombay-Burma Trading shares dropped to Rs. 1,035 and Bombay Electric Tram ordinary shares to Rs. 350.

Tata Hydro Electric ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 1,315 for cash.

Tata Iron and Steel ordinary shares were opened at Rs. 377½ but closed easy at Rs. 370. Deferreds changed hands at Rs. 1,270 in the morning but at the close dropped to Rs. 1,250.

Bundi Cement unreplaced at Rs. 25. Shivrajpoors at Rs. 50 and Central Indias at Rs. 58.

Sara Sirargunj Railway shares changed hands at Rs. 98.

Vishnu Cotton ordinary shares were placed at Rs. 445.

Bank of India shares changed hands at Rs. 82½.

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

Business in 3½ per cent. G. P. Notes was done in the vicinity of Rs. 76.

4 per cent. Port Trust Bonds were placed at Rs. 90.

4 per cent. Conversion Loan was quoted at Rs. 90 and Warrant at Rs. 9½.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Oct. 18th.

Lovaine	Bruce	Marseilles, Sept. 23
Shustar	Weeks	Busreh, Oct. 7

Oct. 19th.

Penang Maru	Kushibiki	Kobe, Sept. 17
Nellore	King	London, Sept. 22
Chybassa	Logan	London, Sept. 22

The following vessels began to load yesterday :—

Steamer	*Alavi	for	Jeddah
,,	Lovaine	for	Liverpool, etc.
,,	Yeboshi Maru	for	Kobe, etc.

* To arrive.

Oct. 19.

S. S. Bombay Maru :—The N. Y. K. steamer Bombay Maru left Kobe for Hongkong via Moji (Westward bound) on the 17th instant.

S. S. Lovaine :—The steamer Lovaine, 1,997 tons, Captain J. Bruce, arrived in harbour on Wednesday from Marseilles, which port she had left on the 23rd ultimo, with ballast.

S. S. Shustar :—The steamer Shustar, 1,718 tons, Captain M. Weeks, arrived in harbour on Wednesday from Busreh, which port she had left on the 7th instant, with a general cargo and 12 deck passengers.

S. S. Penang Maru :—The Japan Line steamer Penang Maru, 3,261 tons, Captain S. Kushibiki, arrived in harbour yesterday from Kobe, which port she had left on the 17th ultimo, with a general cargo, 2 cabin and 1 deck passenger.

S. S. Nellore :—The P. and O. S. N. Company's English mail steamer Nellore, 4,250 tons, Captain A. M. King, arrived in harbour yesterday from London, which port she had left on the 22nd ultimo, with the English mail of the 29th ultimo, a general cargo and 130 passengers.

S. S. Chybassa :—The B. I. S. N. Company's steamer Chybassa, 3,992 tons, Captain A. P. Logan, arrived in harbour yesterday from London, which port she had left on the 22nd ultimo, with a general cargo, explosives and 14 passengers.

Thursday, 19th October, 1916.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A. Tenshin Maru ..... Ozaki ..... N. Y. K
C. & R. Rounton Grange ..... Lawson ..... J. M. & Co
D. & E. Yetorofu Maru ..... N. Y. Kaisha
F. Dunera ..... M. M. & Co
H. Singaporean ..... Saunderson ..... M. M. Shirazi
M. Salsette ..... Armitage ..... P. & O. S. Co
N. Cilurnum ..... Thomas ..... W. & A. G. & Co

HARBOUR WALL.

Ponani ..... } B. S. N. Co
Netravati ..... }

VICTORIA DOCK.

1 Penang Maru ..... N. Y. Kaisha
2 Porto de Adalia ..... Alberto ..... Rubattino Line
3 Shushtar ..... H. S. Shustary & Co
6 Bahrein ..... Bonnet ..... T. M. & Co
7 Yebosei Maru ..... Kishimoto ..... N. Y. K.
8 Lovaine ..... W. & A. G. & Co
10 & 11 City of Lincoln ..... K. Nixon & Co
15 Sardar ..... H. S. Shustary

HARROUR WALL.

Lhasa ..... M. M. & Co

H. D. D.

Tug Harold ..... H. I. Dixon & Co

M. W. D. D.

Dara ..... Loftus ..... J. F. & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

5 Malta ..... P & O. Co
7 Jehangir ..... T. M. & Co

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Baroda ..... M. M. & Co
City of Calcutta ..... Rigby ..... W. & A. G. & Co
Clan Leslie ..... Henderson ..... J. F. & Co
Chybassa ..... Logan ..... M. M. & Co
Diu ..... Pallett ..... W. & A. G. & Co
Flor-de-Diu ..... Aboo ..... Bhimji
Montebello ..... Andrew ..... J. F. & Co
Nurani ..... Thomson ..... B. & P. S. N. Co
Nairung ..... Grant ..... T. M. & Co
Nellore ..... King ..... P. & O. S. N. Co
Pundua ..... Andreason ..... M. M. & Co
Rooke ..... Sura ..... W. & A. G. & Co
Sardar ..... Bruce ..... T. M. & Co
Yirawa ..... Hepburn ..... M. M. & Co
Yetorofu Marn ..... Hirata ..... N. Y. K.

EXPORTS.

Oct. 19.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

City of Lincoln (s) 47 bales wool, V. Oomersee; 100 cwts cashewnuts, M. Jafferbhoy; 56 bales wool, M. Balia.

FOR MASSEILLES.

City of Lincoln (s) 420 cwts. gum Arabic, M. Jafferbhoy; 42 cwts. gum Arabic, J. Nurbharam and Co.

Rounton Grange (s) 11,800 cwts. mussoor, Louis Dreyfus and Co.; 2,000 poppyseed, Louis Dreyfus and Co.

FOR LONDON.

Nellore (s) 9 bales goat and sheep skin, Abba and E. H. Mahomed; 6 bales goat and sheep skin, A. Kassam; 14,660 cwts. linseed, Ralli Brothers; 1,960 cwts. rapeseed, Ralli Brothers; 780 cwts. buffalo horns, E. Mahomed and Sons; 9,569 cwts. linseed, E. D. Sassoon and Co.; 6,000 cwts. linseed, Volkart Brothers; 2,000 cwts. rapeseed, Volkart Brothers; 3,949 cwts. barley, Volkart Brothers; 4 bales goat and sheep skins, H. M. Kooka; 200 cwts. cassein flour, C. Jivanlal and Co.; 35 cwts. butter, C. Jiwanlal and Co.; 6,000 cwts. wheat, Ralli Brothers; 5,690 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers; 9 bales goat and sheep skin, M. J. Joomabhoy and Co.; 12 bales sheep skins, A. A. Peerbhoy.

FOR SWEDEN VIA LONDON.

Nellore (s) 3 bales woollen carpets, Dleming Shaw and Co.

FOR NEW YORK.

Nellore (s) 3 bales woollen carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co.; 101 cwts. gum kadaya, R. Damji and Co.; 100 cwts. kajoo kernel, R. Damjee and Co.

FOR DENMARK VIA LONDON.

Nellore (s) 27 bales woollen carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co.

FOR NORWAY VIA LONDON.

Nellore (s) 7 bales woollen carpets, Fleming Shaw and Co.

FOR HULL.

Cillurnum (s) 15,590 cwts. barley, Ralli Brothers; 19,000 cwts. linseed, Ralli Brothers.

FOR LEITH.

Lovaine (s) 6,000 cwts. barley, Louis Dreyfus and Co.; 4,000 cwts. peas, Louis Dreyfus and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Porto di Adalia (s) 8 cases silk yarn, S. Rupjidas.

FOR KOBE.

Yeboshi Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, Y. K. Kwaisha; 1,000 bales cotton, T. Yuasa and Co.; 2,000 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 300 bales cotton, G. Dossa and Co.

Malta (s) 1 cwt. ivory, R. Visram.

Tenshin Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.; 1,800 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha; 100 bales cotton, H. Rambhagat and Co.; 200 bales cotton, H. Meghji and Co.; 500 bales cotton, M. N. K. Kaisha.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Malta (s) 200 cwts. bees wax, M. Jafferbhoy.

Tenshin Maru (s) 275 bales cotton twist, E. D. Sassoon and Co.

Tenshin Maru (s) 300 bales cotton twist, Sassoon J. David and Co.; 400 bales cotton twist, C. Ebrahim and Co.; 300 bales cotton twist, I. David; 25 bales cotton twist, E. D. Sassoon and Co.

FOR HONGKONG.

Malta (s) 200 bales cotton twist, E. D. Sassoon and Co.

FOR OSAKA.

Tenshin Maru (s) 500 bales cotton M. N. K. Kaisha.

IMPORTS.

Oct. 19.

S. S. Nairung, from Jeddah, Agents Turner Morrison and Co.—46 cases 3 bundles specie, 22 bundles tin plates, 83 bundles broken metals.

S. S. City of Lincoln, from Liverpool, Agents Killick Nixon and Co.—3,160 bags soda ash, 60 cases carbonate of ammonia, 22 drums zinc chloride, 24 drums magnesium chloride, 20 barrels green copperas, 20 barrels summac, 24 drums Calcium chloride, 17 barrels glucose, 40 drums caustic soda, 301 crates 109 cases glass bottles, 50 casks China clay, 51 casks tiles, 5,000 numbers 800 cases 1,000 bags bricks, 160 bags fire-clay, 16 crates jars, 61 bags broken tiles, 1 case motor car parts, 4 cases glass globes, 20 crates 1 case 1 cask 3 hogsheads earthenware, 10 cases shoes and boots, 664 cases beer, 35 cases rum, 50 cases rum, 2,645 cases 41 hogsheads whisky, 30 cases 3 hogsheads gingerale, 30 barrels tallow, 20 cases alizarine red paste, 1 case alizarine blue paste, 2 crates stoves, 345 bags starch, 271 bundles pine board, 15 coils cotton rope, 5 cases cycles, 74 cases 1,685 boxes 480 drums soap, 115 casks 942 kegs paint, 25 cases plaster of Paris, 160 cases colour, 22 cases 30 drums varnish, 10 cases enamel, 21 cases confectionery, 10 casks blacking, 172 barrels tar, 400 kegs white lead, 378 cases 48 boxes biscuits, 1 case sausages, 1 case oats and barley, 35 cases tinned fish, 79 cases tinned meat, 29 cases hams and bacon, 29 cases sauce and pickles, 4 cases chocolate, 49 cases gin, 36 casks red lead, 5 cases mineral oil, 220 drums colza oil, 2 cases 4 trusses buffalo pickers, 10 cases roller skins, 1 case leather buffers, 6 cases leather belting, 1 case leather, 1 bale tarpaulin, 36 bales jute cloth, 19 cases umbrellas, 7 cases flannel, 84 cases sewing cotton thread, 2 cases cotton rope, 89 bales canvas, 16 cases cotton net, 46 cases art silk and cotton goods, 7 cases silk yarn, 8 bales jute twine, 3 cases silk thread, 11 cases umbrella furniture, 3 bales knitting wool, 34 cases oil cloth, 6 cases linen goods, 160 bales 244 cases cotton yarn, 151 cases 34 bales cotton and woollen goods, 47 cases 21 bales woollen goods, 256 bales 1,089 cases cotton goods.

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B. B. & C. I. RAILWAY ADMINISTRATION OFFICES,
ARTHUR CRAWFORD MARKETS,
BHULESHWAR MARKETS,
FORAS ROAD MARKETS,
&c., &c., &c.

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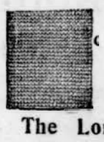

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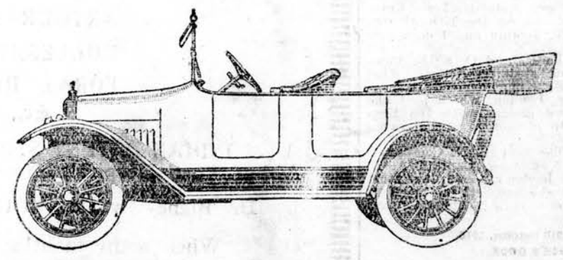

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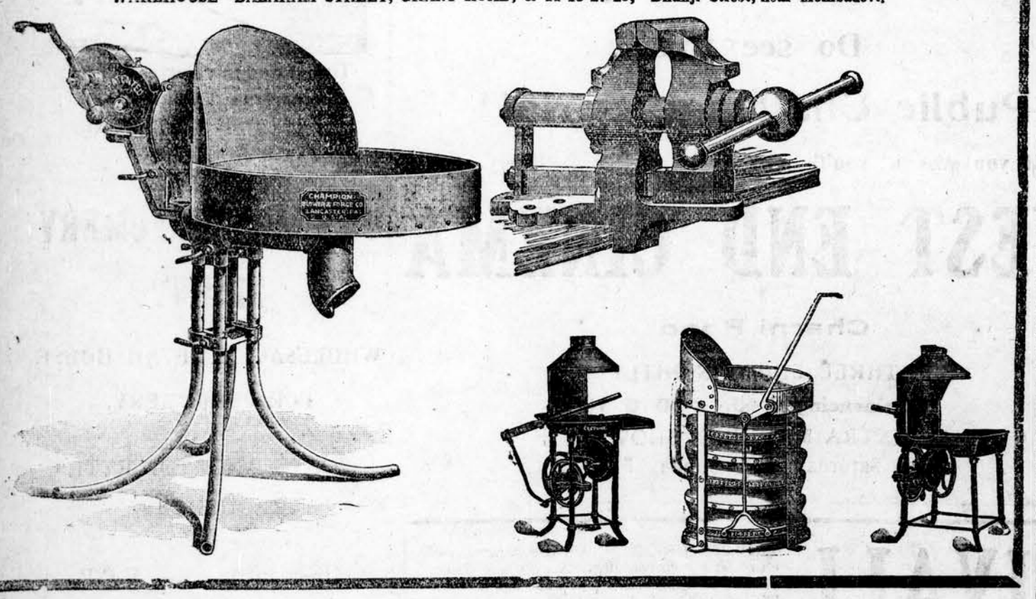

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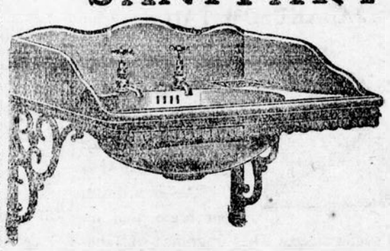

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